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Superstition









Dear Rod,  
 I have really enjoyed knowing you & going to church school w. you.  
 I am wishing a swell guy all the luck & success in the world.

Good luck from a junior  
 P. J. Aguirre  
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Dear Rod,

It's been swell knowing you and I hope a swell person has lots of luck in the future.  
 I friend always  
 Frankie Miller

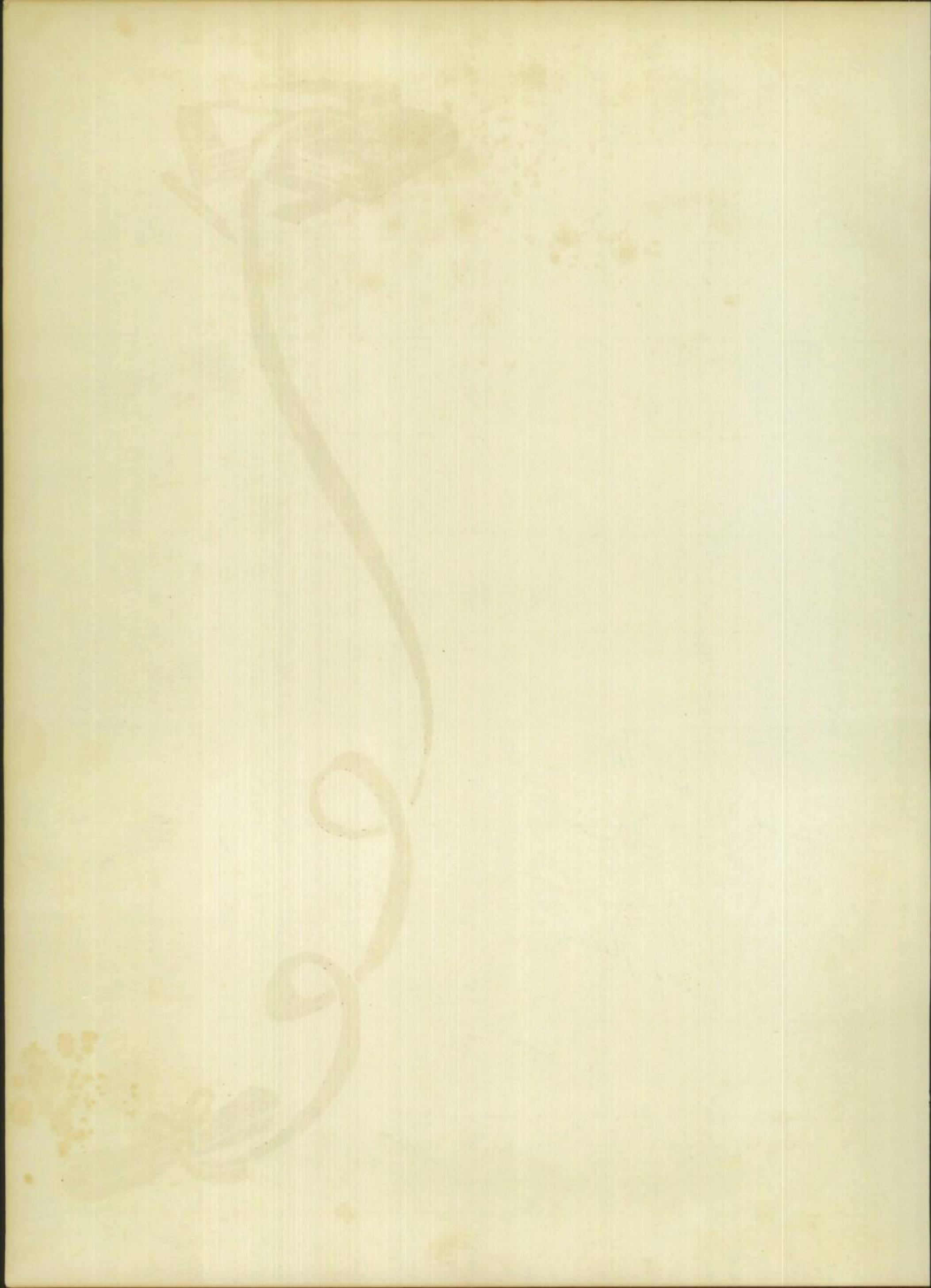
Loads of luck and success to a swell guy.

Just Mary Helen

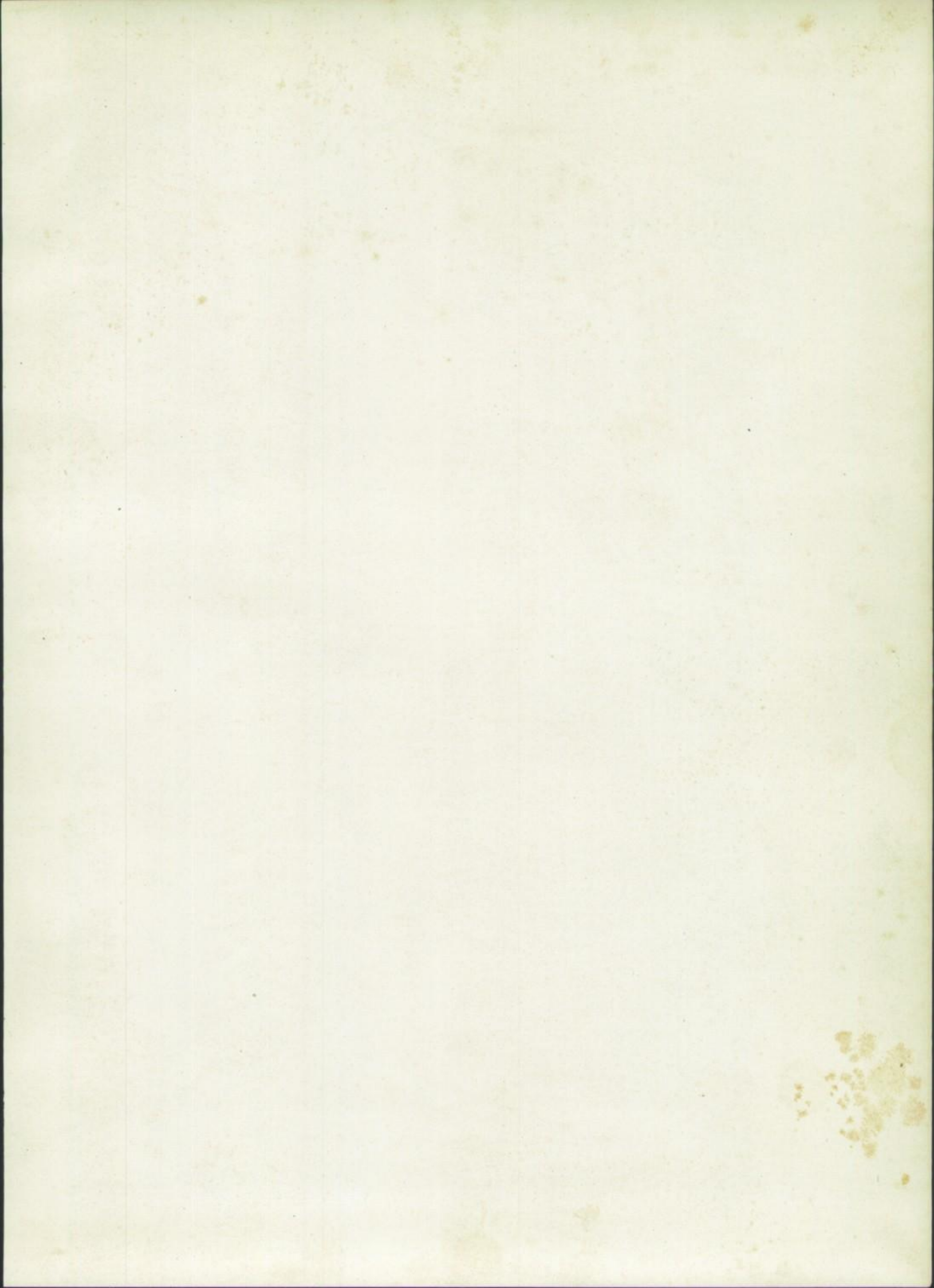
Dear Rod: -  
 I know how happy you are about the success of your old friend & fellow student.  
 The world is a better place for you.









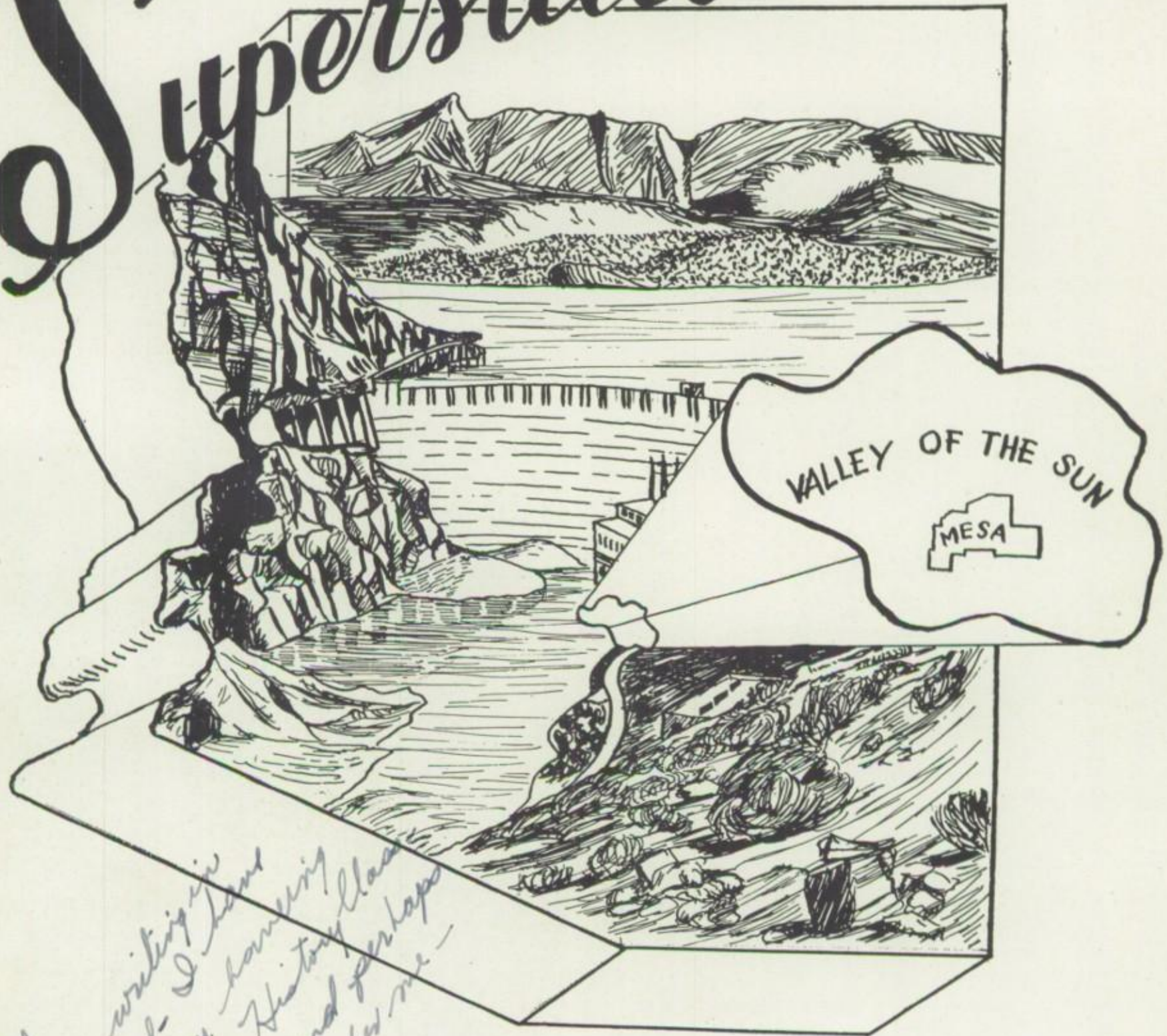








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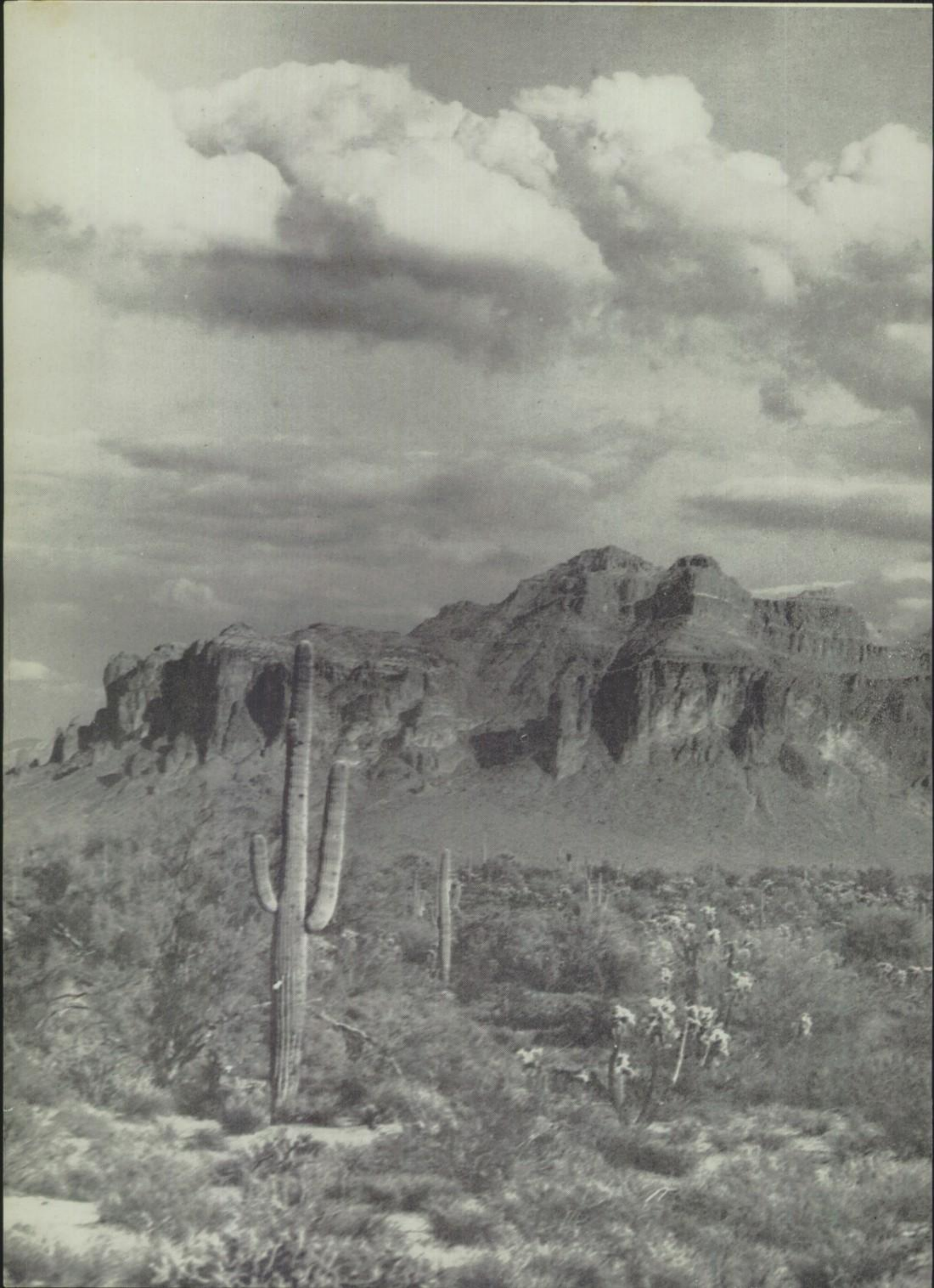
What a load of that!

Dear Rod,  
 I'll see you in my American History class  
 and will see you around perhaps  
 next year. Always remembers me -  
 Always says. M.  
 "You old sleepy head"  
 "No joke" -  
 "Ha! Ha!"

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# Water Is the Maintenance of Life

Water and hard work; vision and the will to succeed—and the desert is reclaimed. Rich, broad acres, once useless and idle, have been turned into abundant green fields. Canals carry the water that made all this possible. Flowing orderly and placidly, this water is a thing of beauty as it reflects the blue sky and mirrors the lush acres—yet it was born in rugged mountain crags with the deep snows of winter, the thaws of spring, and the wild cloudbursts of summer. This water, that now flows so gently within canal banks, was once moisture laden clouds that swept in from the ocean to drop rain, then tiny rivulets and streams, mighty lakes impounded behind massive dams, then long winding canals and ditches that finally brought it to the lawns and fields. This is the miracle that makes possible the life here on the desert floor of the Valley of the Sun.

Grim and forbidding as the rain clouds over Superstition may look, they bring hope to the desert—and that hope is the very essence of existence.

Life here at Mesa High School runs along smoothly and quietly most of the time as does the lazy river or the quiet water of the irrigation canal. The gay, sparkling, laughter of boys and girls as they gather in the gymnasium for a formal dance is like clear bubbling water of a cool mountain stream. The fullback plunging through the opposing line for the winning touchdown, the straining muscles of the sprinter as he throws himself at the tape, speaks of power just as much as does the rushing, pounding water that turns the mighty turbines as it cascades from lake to river bed. The energetic study of boys and girls that pushes them on to higher levels of knowledge is like water that leaves the canals to furnish moisture for the tiny, thriving, green plants.

Water serves us not only as a source of economic supply but also provides us with pleasure and entertainment such as fishing, swimming or boating. Small creeks play gracious hosts to summer vacationers and perform many tasks as they live out their short lives. It is wonderful to be able to leave the sweltering heat of summer days in the city to live by a swift cool mountain stream and breathe crisp fragrant air. It is always a pleasure to sit on the shore of some quiet lake and marvel at the beauty of the last fiery rays of the sunset as it sinks slowly in the west. It is delightful to be able to seek out places of interest and have a rendezvous with Spring herself as she sets up her court in the desert and foothills. Small summer showers cause poppies to bloom, palo verdes to turn yellow, and small hills and fields to become rich green carpets. Yes, just the joy of gazing at some of nature's wonderful color schemes brings peace to the soul.

School life too has its pleasant side. Just to be able to attend school events with friends and mingle with associates to talk over the happenings of the day is something to cherish. The many happy moments that are spent at dances, parties, and social affairs will bring back smiles of happy remembrances in years to come.

Mirrored in the irrigation water, which does a great deal toward keeping them at their best, are the stately trees and shrubs which make our campus the most beautiful in the state.





Water is also responsible for many of nature's marvelous miracles. Steep canyon walls and arches are etched by its important chemicals. Throughout the centuries water from rain and melting snow have entered cracks in various masses of stone thereby dissolving the cementing materials, loosening the sand grains and widening the cracks. Yes—water, when aided by nature, can present many varied, breathtaking and magnificent scenic attractions.

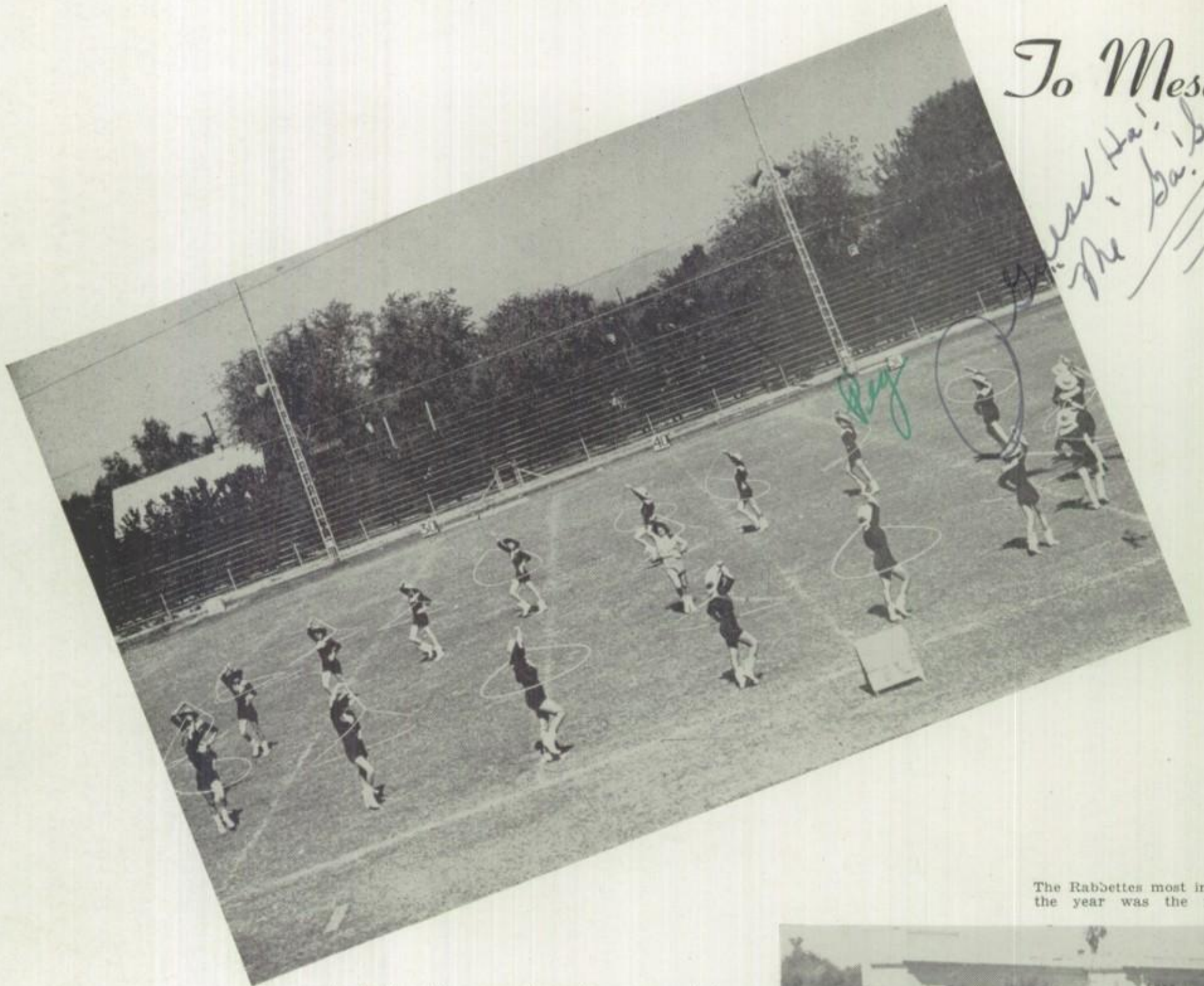
But water's most important use in Arizona is that of irrigation. If man is wise and looks toward the future, water can be conserved so that the desert's fields can stretch out in green patterns like a magic carpet and become colorful and productive.

The eternal quality of youth—with its enthusiasm, its dreams and desires, and its will-to-do—repeats itself in each succeeding generation to make civilization live and progress.





To Mesa



The Rabettes most intricate the year was the fam

The spinning lariat of the ropers always brings a round of applause from the crowd.

The "Rabettes," one of the most outstanding and under-publicized organizations of Mesa High, have helped to sustain and increase school spirit by rendering constant service.

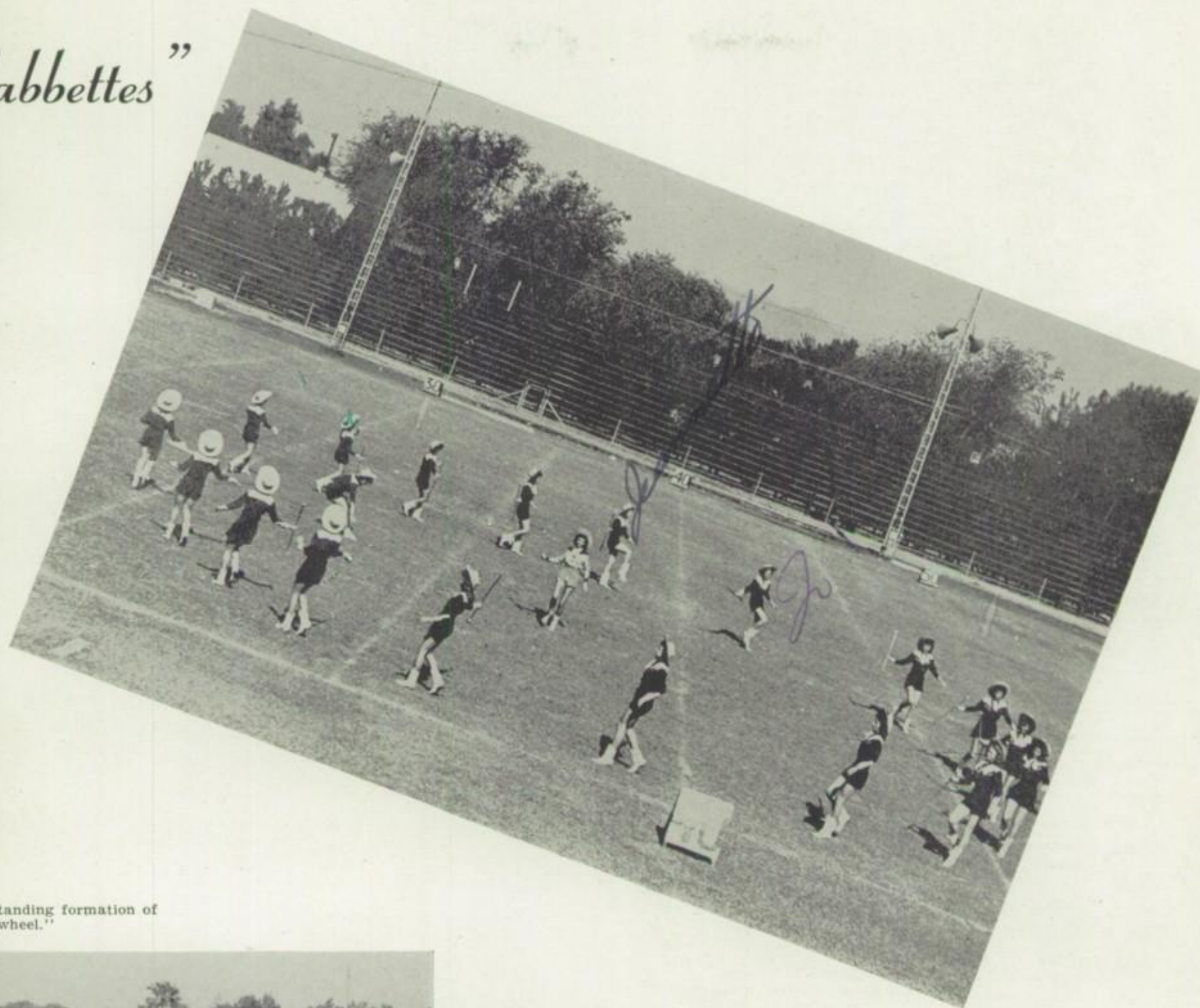
Since its foundation, in 1931, it has grown to include one hundred and four enthusiastic members. Although the name of the squad has been changed three times, its quality and undying spirit to serve has not altered. They have done a grand job in promoting community interest and have added half-time color to our football games.

The group now consists of three main divisions: the marchers, the twirlers, and the ropers. The twirlers and ropers with their shiny batons and spinning lariats certainly help to make the organization outstanding. The marchers with their high stepping precision always win the approval of the crowd. Each of these three groups is outstanding in



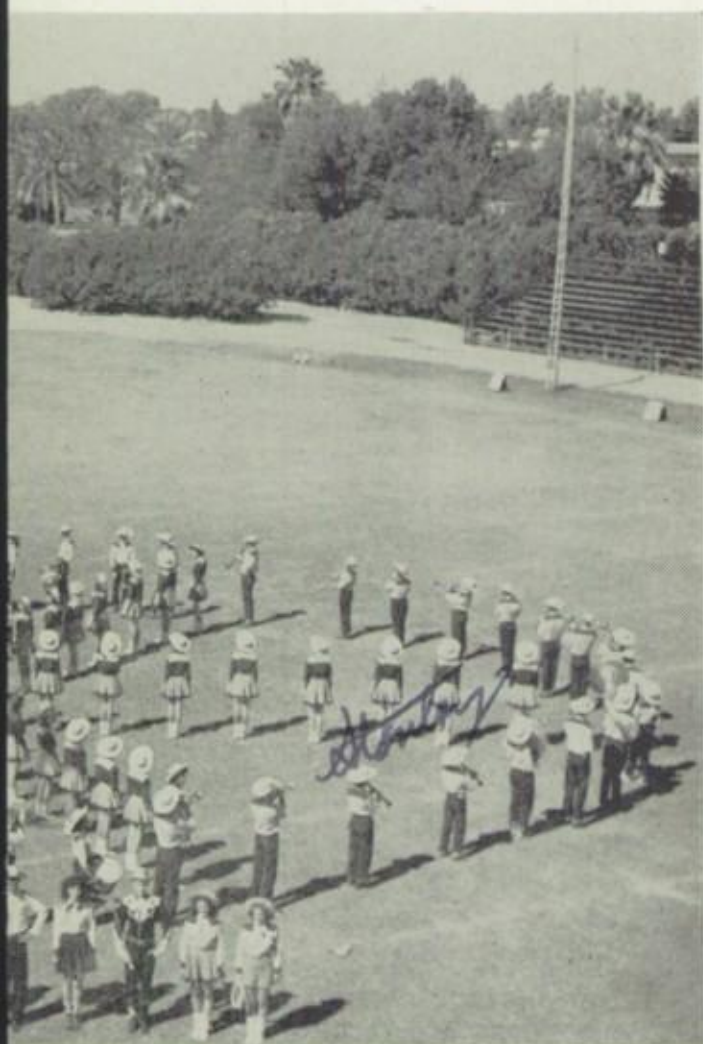


# Rabbettes"



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The twirlers, with their shiney batons, add to the effective-  
ness of the squad.

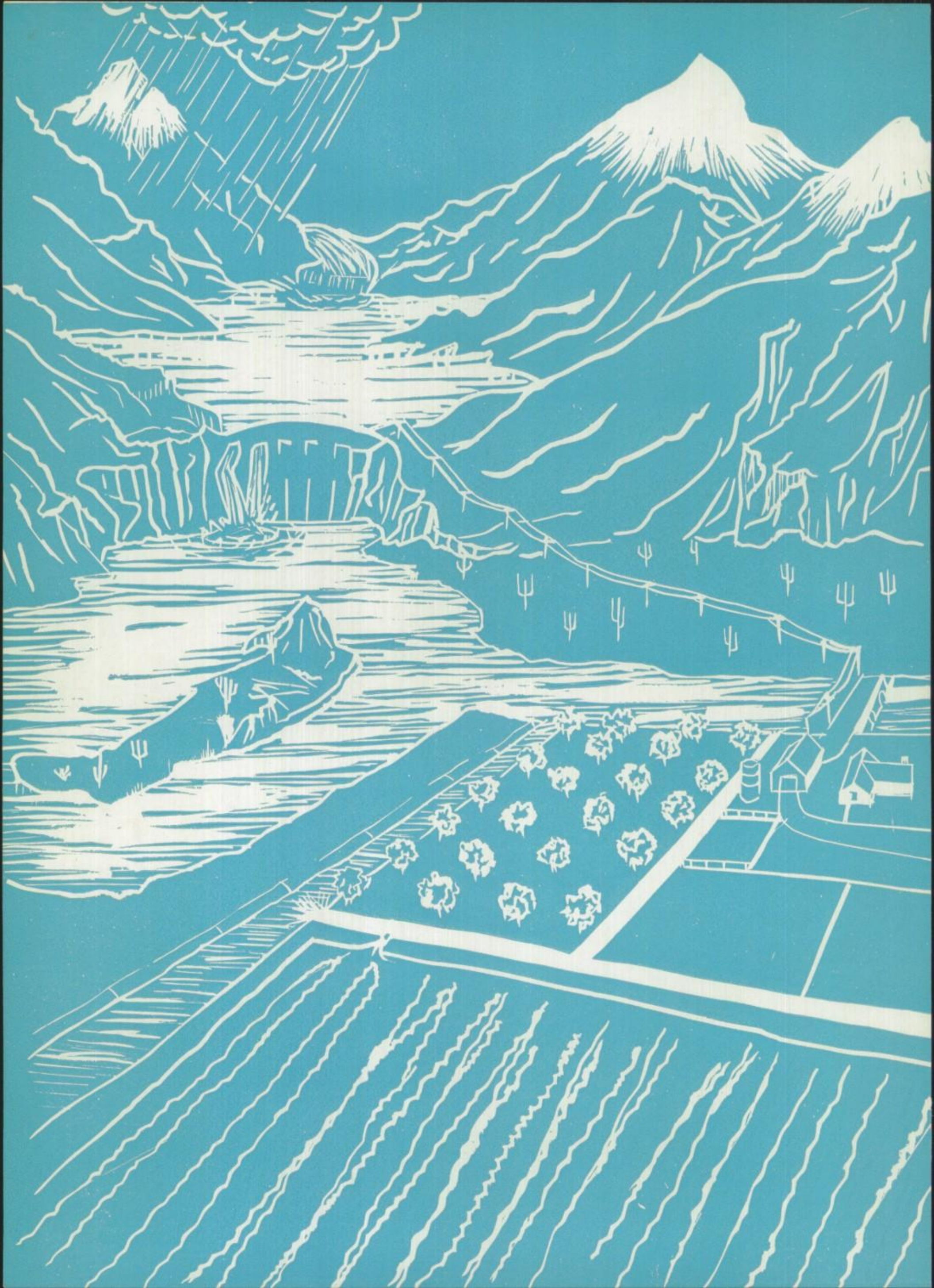


itself, but when they perform their only thought is that of unity, not individuality. Their precision and timing show this to be true, as does the fact that they have attained state-wide fame for their highstepping and snappy formations.

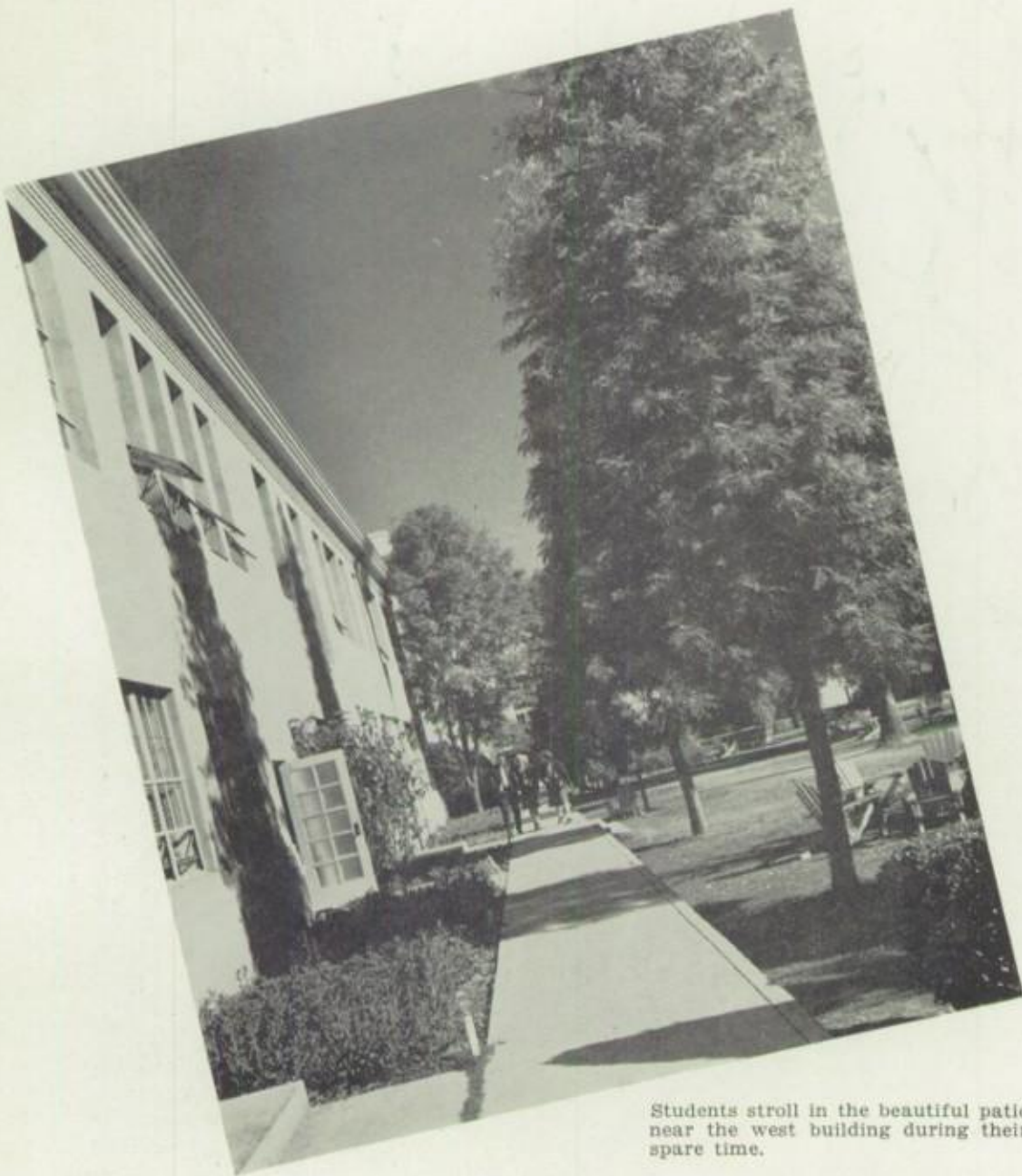
Each year the Rabbettes take part in many community activities and are widely known for their intricate but beautiful formations. The world famous championship Rodeo and the annual State Fair held in Phoenix and the equally famous Citrus Show and the Rawhide Roundup held in Mesa are but a few of the parades in which they participate. In fact no Mesa parade would be complete without the Mesa girls.

Because they have given unselfishly of their time and effort with no thought of reward—and because of the pep and enthusiasm they lend to the school and community—we gratefully dedicate this, the 1948 volume of the Superstition, to the "Rabbettes."









Students stroll in the beautiful patio near the west building during their spare time.

Dear Rod,  
 It's really nice  
 to hear you're  
 having a good  
 time in chemistry.  
 I hope you'll  
 have some  
 fun in that  
 class next  
 year.

Best Luck  
 Pat Buckley  
 "Joe" 48

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Dear Dad -  
 Well just  
 Be cause your  
 a Senior let  
 don't your head  
 know? It's been  
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 always go  
 & I will  
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 friends that  
 body be change  
 Best with  
 Good wishes  
 a friend from  
 John Hoyle



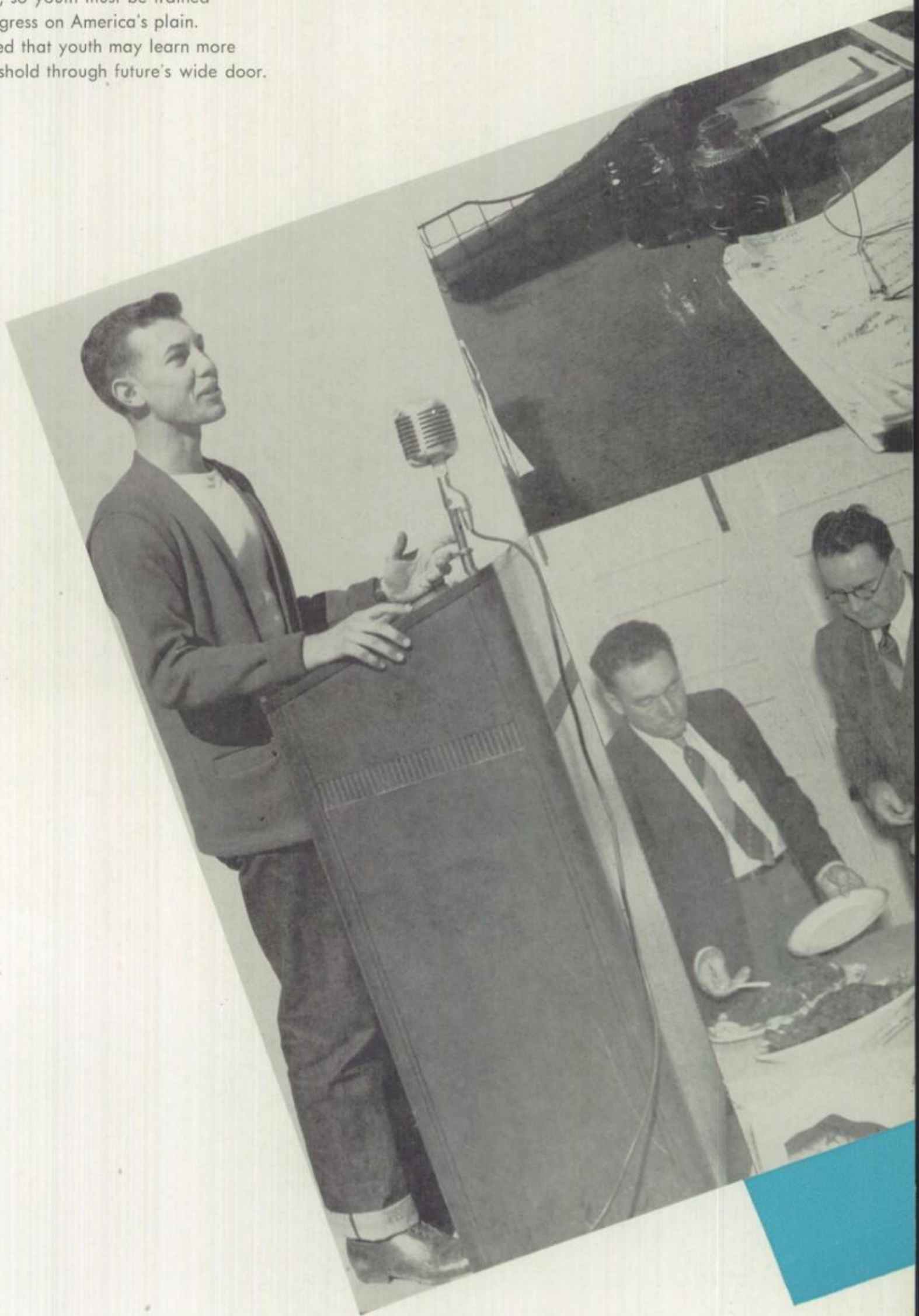
Once every two months the boys' baseball field gets its much needed  
 irrigation that keeps the campus always green.







As the greatest of rivers goes sweeping along  
Like unto it, is the staff's mighty song.  
For they are the ones that must work under strain  
Ringing an echo with glorious refrain.  
As water is harnessed; so youth must be trained  
As each day they progress on America's plain.  
So teachers are needed that youth may learn more  
As they cross the threshold through future's wide door.











## *Mesa's Ambitious Superintendent*

—A firm straightforward man,  
Reared on principles tried and true,  
Who has the wisdom to form a plan  
And then the courage to see it through!

A superintendent always has many duties and last year—with the consolidation of Franklin, Irving, Lincoln, Webster, Washington, Lehi, Alma and Jordan schools—he assumed new duties and responsibilities. His work has been further complicated by the cafeteria, farm shop, additional building for grade schools and the all time goal of planning a junior high school.

Always ready and willing to help in difficulties and to encourage the students in academic pursuits, his ability as a

leader and his dynamic personality have endeared him in the hearts of all.

He is interested in the students as individuals and believes the students will should be considered. With untiring efforts he has taught them to uphold and to build new traditions for the school.

Mr. Taylor is actively interested in many organizations concerned with youth and in any projects which they undertake. He also enjoys making plans for playground arrangement and landscape gardening.

His active interest in all phases of dramatics and his work in the production and presentation of pageants is known throughout the state.

Mesa High is certainly proud of its superintendent.



## Efficient Secretary

Mrs. Mary Belle Noble, who has been with Mesa High for sixteen years, is serving her first year in her new office. Mrs. Noble is a personal secretary to Superintendents Harvey L. Taylor and Rulon T. Shepherd.

Mrs. Noble doesn't have the worry of the school's business, as she has had in the past, but she is kept plenty busy with the correspondence of both Mr. Taylor and Mr. Shepherd, keeping records of all honor assemblies and the official minutes of all Board of Education meetings.

She also compiles all club minutes, has charge of scheduling the auditorium, club room and other such rooms, and is in charge of the mimeograph machine.

Mrs. Noble is the official key keeper, in other words she has charge of giving out and checking in all the keys of the high school.

For recreation we find that Mrs. Noble is very fond of trout fishing and building model airplanes. With all the work she does for Mesa High we wonder when she has time for these pleasures.

Summing it all up, Mrs. Noble is really a great asset to Mesa High. Although she doesn't have much direct contact with most of the students, the quiet efficiency with which she handles the routine office affairs makes for a well ordered, smooth running organization that is so necessary.

Pictured here in the role for which students—past, present, and future will remember him longest is our beloved superintendent, Harvey L. Taylor, always our guide and inspiration.

Becoming more efficient every year is Mrs. Mary Belle Noble, secretary to the superintendents.







Aiding Superintendent H. L. Taylor in the complicated affairs of the Mesa School District is Assistant Superintendent, Rulon T. Shepherd

## *Mesa's Capable Assistant Superintendent*

One of the most friendly men around the Mesa schools is Assistant Superintendent Rulon T. Shepherd. Mr. Shepherd has taught in Mesa schools for eight years and has been Superintendent Harvey L. Taylor's assistant for two years.

Mr. Shepherd's chief responsibilities have to do with the elementary schools. Some of these are finding teachers to fill empty teaching positions in the elementary schools, the management of all school cafeterias and the transportation facilities for all the schools, which was surely a full time job.

Mr. Shepherd is known and respected by many people. His ideals are high and he has a very pleasing personality and a splendid character. He is quiet in manner and is friendly to everyone.

The chief interests, pastimes, and hobbies of Mr. Shepherd are dramatics, singing, yard beautification, and civic work.

Mr. Shepherd is indeed a valuable asset to the schools of Mesa and the community as a whole.

When Mr. Shepherd came here as the head of the elementary schools ten years ago, there were 1600 students enrolled in the elementary schools. There are now 4,000,

plus the 400 going in parochial schools, students going to elementary schools. This is two and one-half times as many as when he came to Mesa.

Especially since the war, this increase has added many problems—increased teacher load, over-crowded classrooms—which means more work for Mr. Shepherd to cope with.

The new cafeteria here at the high school which is being outfitted, will also add more work for Mr. Shepherd, although it will relieve the congestion.

This cafeteria takes the place of the south patio where many parties and socials were enjoyed by students. But good things must always come to an end for something better.

In the cafeteria is a large room where the students will eat. Then there is a snack bar for those who don't want to order full meals. Separate parties may need and hold luncheon meetings in the two small dining rooms. These rooms will also be used as faculty dining rooms. The prize of them all is the big shiny kitchen where the food will be prepared and handled.

A patio is also planned on the site of the old bus garage where students can eat lunch.



# Business Staff

A new addition to the staff this year is Miss Lillie Belle Petersen, receptionist, who handles the switchboard and helps with odd jobs. She is always glad to give information to anyone who asks for it. Miss Petersen served as Girls' League president in 1946.



One of the main spokes of the Business Office is Mrs. Juanita Denning who helps the Business Manager and is bookkeeper for the elementary schools. She also, with the assistance of Miss June Davis, runs the cash register, sells budgets and annuals, and takes care of stenciling, requisitions and locker registrations.



James E. Crockett, Business Manager, who is new at Mesa High this year, handles the bookkeeping for the high school and is in charge of the Business Office.

Miss Davis is pay roll clerk and helps Mrs. Denning. Miss Davis was Student body vice president in 1946.





## Mr. Donaldson

Students of Mesa High this year have had the opportunity of consulting Marion Donaldson on all of their vocational problems. They are all assured of receiving sound advice from him.

An alumni of Mesa High, he returned to the high school in '36 and took the position of World history and English teacher half a day. He worked in the office the remaining half day.

In 1934 our country called for the services of many teachers. Mr. Donaldson volunteered and was inducted shortly after. After serving for three years he again returned to his alma mater. The speech and dramatics departments received his timely instructions. One of his outstanding achievements last year was "A Date With Judy."

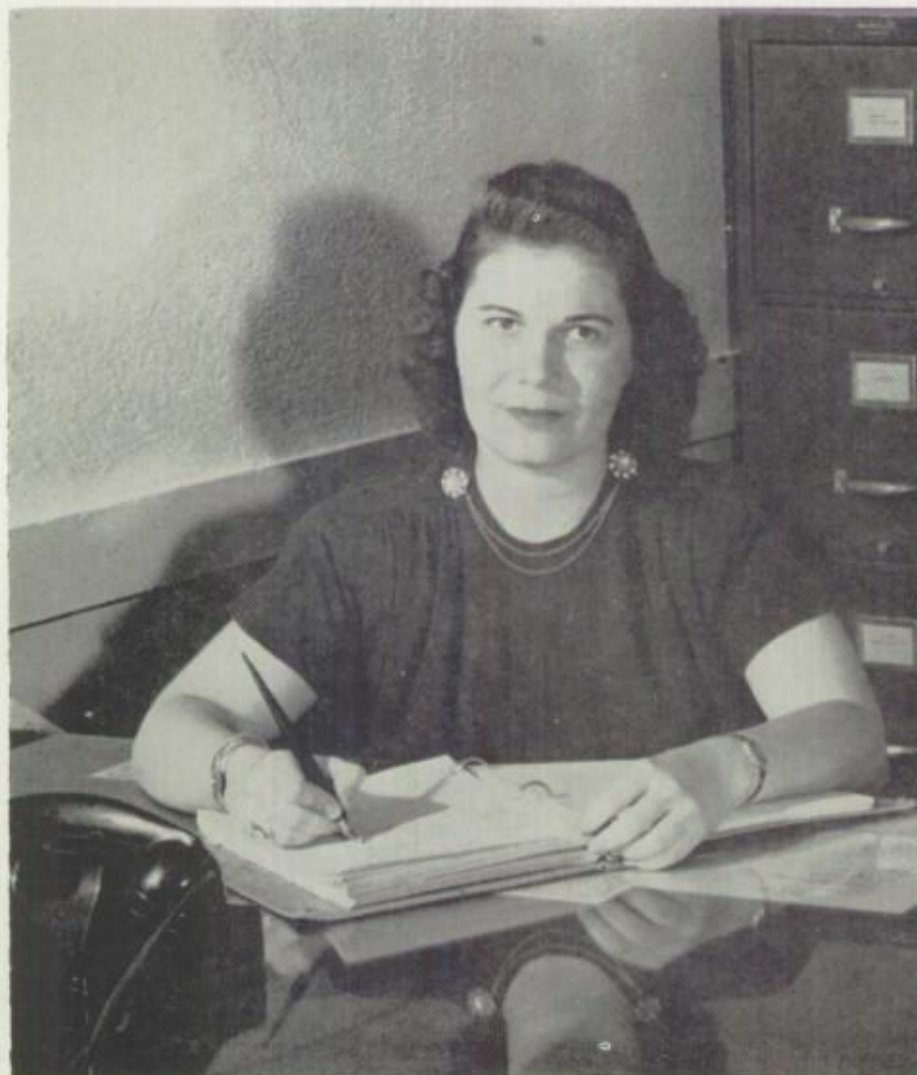
Because of the increasing number of students and the need for a full-time man in the attendance and guidance offices, Mr. Donaldson has taken the position as vice-principal and vocational guidance director.

Under his watchful eye, the students have chalked up the best attendance record ever compiled at Mesa High. The greatly increased enrollment and crowded conditions have multiplied his problems.



A "jack-of-all-trades" is our jovial Marion Donaldson who counsels.

Competently handling the difficult problem of registration is Marie Griner



The attendance board is kept up to date by Miss Velda Magnusson who has done an excellent job







vice-principal, attendance director, and vocational guidance

## Dependable Workers

A new student coming to Mesa High is first taken into the attendance office where Marie Griner, registrar, assists him with his registration and schedule. The new student is then taken to his class and introduced to other students by a member of the Les Amis or "Friendship" club. From this time on, all of his scholastic records are kept by Miss Griner.

Across the aisle we find Velda Magnusson and Dora McCulla, who replaced Janyce Taylor at the end of the first semester. They have the responsibility of checking all absences, whether legal or otherwise.

A new system has been put into effect this year. Every student's name is alphabetically arranged on a bulletin board. Different types of pins are placed on the board for half day absences, all day absences, etc. This record is kept for one semester. All the pins are removed and a new record is begun.

Assisting in the attendance office by collecting attendance slips, recording absences and other official information were the following girls: Vila Colinwood, Erna Smith, Eleanor Johnson, Marvell Nichols, Virginia Lenhart, Verda Casey, Peggy Wilkerson, Sybil Barth, Bertie Hogle, Yvonne Heiner, Wilna Lamoreaux, Peggy Page, Ada Mae Magnusson, Antionette Streit and Mary Ann Gaglione.

These girls have done an excellent job in the office.

Dora McCulla who took Miss Janyce Taylor's place in attendance office has done a very good job.

Taking a real interest in students' attendance problems is genial Miss Janyce Taylor





Frieda Nielson, Student Body Secretary



Louis Crandall, Student Body President



Lola Gylling, Student Body Vice-President

## *Efficient, Qualified Student Body Officers*

The spirit of Louis, Lola and Frieda has made this year a success by their willingness to carry out their duties as student body officers.

Louis has been a very dependable leader full of new ideas and ways to improve the standards of Mesa high. His many responsibilities are the planning and conducting of Friday assemblies, answering correspondence in regard to the student government and other school activities. He also acts as head of the Student Council.

Lola, the assistant who stands back of the president at all times, helps him to prepare the assemblies and conducts them when the president is gone. Lola has complete charge of the student council meals.

Frieda is the person who is always busy keeping all minutes of assemblies, student council meetings and other

school activities. She posts the students council records on the bulletin board and then puts them away for further use. She also compiles at the end of the year the minutes of all the clubs and organizations of Mesa high in one book.

These officers are elected from the junior class each spring and take office the following fall. The elections are exciting, hotly contested events, with each candidate, his manager and various backers giving speeches, putting up signs all over the campus and racing through the usual political shenanigans.

When the votes are finally tabulated and the results of the elections made known, the whole school breathes a sigh of relief, and things once more settle down to normal. These elections prove to be well worth the trouble as proved by the fine officers who are the leaders of Mesa High.



# *Energetic, Reliable Student Council*

The Student Council has been more active this year than any other Student Council in the history of Mesa High. One of the many new ideas this year's Council started was sponsoring dances after a few of the important football games. These dances proved to be very popular.

Mona Urrea, Girls' League president, was known all over the campus for her friendly smile and cheerie "hello." She led the Girls' League through a very successful year.

Delwyn Gardner was the quiet, efficient leader of Boys' League. He was in charge of one of the most beautiful Christmas Formals ever staged.

The class presidents—John Hamblin, senior; Douglas Sheperd, junior; Darrell Skousen, sophomore; and Norman Calhoun, freshman—directed their classes through one of the most active years Mesa High has seen in a long time.

The student body elected Venla Allen to serve as the cheer commissioner this year. Venla was ready and willing to lead us in a rousing good cheer.

Harry Newell was chosen to be the publicity commissioner. Harry could always be found getting some activity ready to present before the student body.

Bettye Ann Cooper was chosen to lead the fine arts department. Bettye Ann proved very efficient. All her spare time was spent in the band or music room working.

Roy McClellan has worked very hard with athletics all through his four years in high school. It was only fitting that he should be chosen as athletic commissioner.

Beth Matthews as social commissioner produced a very exciting All Campus Party. Beth was always willing to lend a helping hand whenever help was needed.

Melvin Pearce was not only editor of the Jackrabbit both semesters, but he also served as publications commissioner.

Wayne Legg, club commissioner, came to Mesa High when he was a junior. Under his leadership the clubs enjoyed a very successful year.

**Left to Right**—Delwyn Gardner, Mona Urrea, Beth Matthews, Bettye Ann Cooper, Harry Newell, Melvin Pearce, Venla Allen, Lola Gylling, Louis Crandall, Frieda Nielson, Morris Rollins, Wayne Legg, Roy McClellan, Norman Calhoun, Owen Darrell Skousen, Douglas Shepherd, John Hamblin.





Mona Urrea, President; Florence Harper, Sponsor; Rachel Ann Love, Secretary; Jeanette Hemphill, Vice-President.



## Mesa Is Well Known and Respected for Her Girls

A busy year has drawn to a close for the Girls' League under the direction of an excellent president, Mona Urrea, and interested sponsor, Mrs. Harper.

The "Diaper Dance" in October, the first event of the season, started the year with a bang. Girls came dressed in every kind of baby costume imaginable. Armed with baby bottles, lollypops, and bubblegum the "kiddies" danced, laughed and had an uproarious time until the rafters of the gymnasium fairly shook.

On January 26 the annual Mother's and Daughter's Tea was held. The program centered around the theme "When I Grow Too Old To Dream" with a skit, current

fashion parade, and several period dances presented by the dancing classes under the capable direction of Miss Katherine Weber.

An affair that will long be rembered by the students, was the beautiful Co-ed, in April. A "girl ask boy" formal, the dance proved to be one of the most enjoyed and successful social occasions of the year. Added interest to the affair was built up by the annual "leap" week preceding the dance.

Girls' League also sent representatives to three state conventions, a California convention, and exchanged assemblies with Phoenix Union and Tempe.



Back row: left to right—Helen Harper, Colleen Mortensen, Mary Helen Nowell, Marilyn Cardon, Dorothy Van Spanckeren, Joan Franks, Joan Davis, Rachel Ann Love.

Front row: left to right—Pauline Upton, Mona Urrea, Melva Lee O'Donnel, Florence Harper, Louise Calhoun, Jeanette Hemphill, Brookie Mitten.





Dick Worthen, Sponsor; Delwyn Gardner, President; Dick Bailey, Secretary; Thurbert Dodge, Vice-President.

## nd Boys League

An active Boys' League, under the leadership of Delwyn Gardner, has helped make the past year a great success. Money to finance the Christmas Formal was obtained by selling various refreshments at all home football games. The annual Christmas dance, the first formal of the year, with the theme "Rhapsody in Blue" was attended by approximately one hundred seventy couples, the largest crowd ever to attend a school formal. The skating doll that pirouetted on the cake of ice that formed part of the original centerpiece will long be remembered.

February 20 was the time appointed for the sons to play hosts to their fathers. All enjoyed a program in the audito-

rium and then they retired to the gymnasium for refreshments and entertainment by Mr. Worthen's boxing and wrestling clubs.

One of the high-lights of the evening was the honoring of the oldest Dad present. He was W. E. Jones, Lamar Jones' father.

Beyond a doubt these father and son's get-togethers are among the finest and most satisfying affairs of the school year as shown by the enthusiasm of both the boys and the fathers.

The Boys' League also exchanged programs with Phoenix Union to foster friendship between the two schools.



Back row: Dick Bailey, Richard Ledbetter, Alfred Heywood, Clyde Tucker, June Webb, Don Quigley.

Front row: Jerry Human, Zen Richens, John Jarvis, Delwyn Gardner, Nolan Peterson, Thurbert Dodge, Don Hunt.





Don C. Lillywhite teaches chemistry, physics and sponsors the Science Service Club.

*Don C. Lillywhite*



Dorothy L. Turner teaches biology and is co-sponsor of the newly organized Coordinating Club Council and assists H. R. Weisburg as club advisor.



Jack Harrington teaches biology, radio, and is sponsor of the Mesa Squadron of Civil Air Patrol.

Leroy C. Miller teaches geometry, algebra, advanced algebra and sponsors the Sportsman Club.

Ella F. Frazier teaches applied mathematics, algebra and is sponsor of the Songsters Club.



## Mesa's Teachers

The students at Mesa High are very fortunate in having such an experienced and capable faculty this year. The teaching staff consists of thirty-three men and eleven women, making a total of forty-four.

Science is required to be taken by all students for at least one year before graduation. Don Lillywhite teaches chemistry, physics and general science. The biology department has a completely changed staff this year. Dorothy Turner teaches five classes of biology, while Jack Harrington teaches four. Mr. Harrington teaches the new course of radio.

Mr. Lillywhite is sponsor of the Science Service club. Miss Turner acts as co-advisor with Mr. Wiesburg to all the clubs at Mesa High.

Mathematics is also required of all students for at least one year. George Bond, who has been here for one and a half years, teaches applied mathematics. Ella Frazier, sponsor of the Songsters, teaches applied mathematics and algebra. Leroy Miller teaches algebra, geometry, solid geometry, advanced algebra and trigonometry. He is the new sponsor of the Rifle Club this year.

For the students who take more than one year of mathematics college will be a great deal easier. Mathematics is used by every one in every line of business. These teachers really have to know their subjects to teach them for mathematics is one of the most complicated of subjects.

Marjorie Hewett, Florence Harper and Nancy Rhuart have done a fine job fitting in with the new schedule of homemaking this year. Mrs. Hewett has been teaching at Mesa High for three years, she teaches clothing I and foods. This is Mrs. Harper's first year here and she took over a big job acting as Girls' League sponsor. She teaches clothing I and foods. Miss Rhuart, teacher of clothing, child guidance and home decoration, has been teaching at Mesa High for sixteen years. One year of homemaking is required

George A. Bond teaches business and applied mathematics and is one of the freshman class sponsors.

Florence Harper teaches foods, and is in charge of school banquets. She is also the Girls' League advisor.





# Are Patient

to be taken by all girls before they can graduate. This one year is made up of one semester of clothing and one of foods, both of which are interesting and essential to every girl.

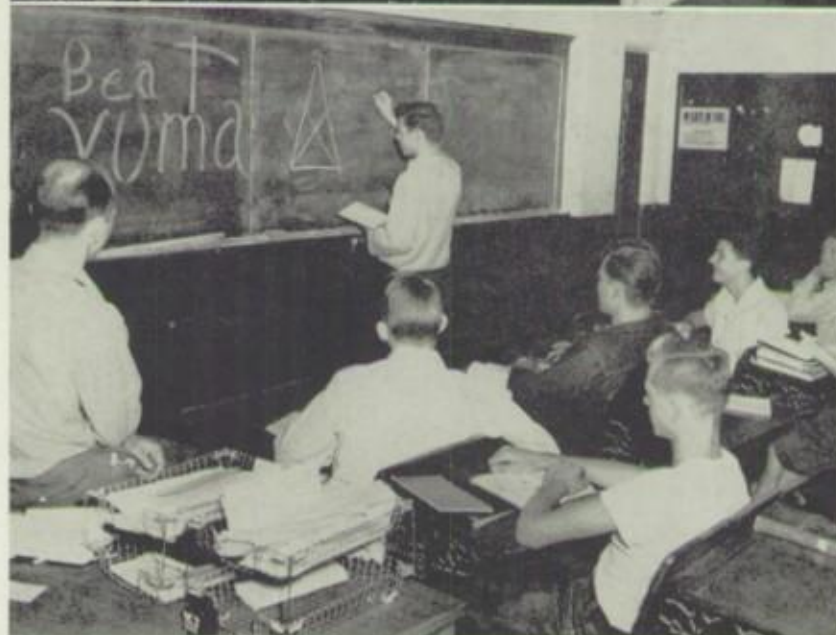
The homemaking classes have a different type of study from most classes in the school. Tours, movies, and lectures are some of the ways in which the girls are taught. Banquets, plays, assemblies, and marching squad are a few of the ways in which the girls contribute to the school.

There are six different English subjects available this year. Freshman and sophomore English is required, but during the junior and senior years the student may choose his English course. The six subjects besides English are speech, dramatics, journalism, grammar, and American and English literature.

Jethro Hathcock, who is sponsor of the Latin American Club, teaches Spanish. He also teaches Latin to those who cannot take Spanish. Eugenie Brandon, who has taught many a student the basic rules of English, is teaching English III and IV to the sophomores. She sponsors the very active Scrapbook Club. Dick Worthen, another teacher here for his first year, teaches English V and VI to the juniors and seniors. He is the advisor of the creative magazine, *El Conejo*, and Boys' League. Esther Calloway teaches English I, II, III and IV to the freshmen and sophomores. She is always smiling and ready to help in anything whenever needed.

Another of the new teachers this year is Frank C. Juleff, who is teaching speech and dramatics. He directed the very successful play, "Arsenic and Old Lace," as well as the third long play of the year presented late in April. He also coached the boys who took part in the oratorical contest.

Margaret Heywood, teaches English I and II. She is doing a fine job as freshman class sponsor. G. T. Young, who teaches journalism and grammar, is doing a wonderful



Miss Nancy Rhuart explains one of the many complicated technicalities of dress making in the third year clothing class.

Dick Bailey explains the whys and wherefores of a triangle in Mr. Leroy Miller's geometry class.

job sponsoring the students in publishing the school paper and annual. He is also the sponsor of Quill and Scroll, the honorary society for outstanding students in journalism. This is Mr. Young's eleventh year at Mesa High. Another reliable teacher is F. H. Bradshaw who teaches American and English literature, dramatics, and grammar. He is sponsor of the National Honor Society. Mr. Bradshaw is always a help when things go wrong.

Floyd Denton is the only instructor of vocal music at Mesa High. Not only does he teach, but he directs the A Capella and was general director of the "Pirates of Penzance." Besides all this he takes time for the Vesper service during the Christmas holidays and is on the assembly committee. G. S. Stevenson, talented art teacher and sponsor of the Brush and Palette Club, is very cooperative in helping with all school dances and parties. Head of the famous Jackrabbit band is Linwood Noble, teacher of instrumental music. His cooperation with Marjorie Entz produced fine performances given to the whole state.

M. L. Fairbanks, manual arts teacher, has done a lot in the two years he has been here to rebuild the wood working department. He is also trying to bring back the courses of leather tooling and other handicrafts. Kenneth Shumway is the capable teacher of mechanical drawing. He is also chairman of the stadium committee. Carl Eaves and Emmett

Nancy D. Rhuart teaches homemaking and child guidance.

Marjorie Hewett teaches homemaking and is sponsor of the Future Homemakers of America Club.







**Jethro M. Hathcock** teaches Spanish and is the director of the Latin American Club which sponsors the colorful Spanish Fiesta.



**Eugenie Brandon** teaches sophomore English and is the director of the Scrapbook Club which makes books for the Crippled Childrens home and orphanages.



**Dick Worthen** teaches English and is the sponsor of El Conejo, a creative magazine. He is sponsor of Boxers and Wrestlers and advisor of Boys League.

**Esther Calloway** teaches freshmen English and assists Margaret Heywood in sponsoring the largest freshman class ever enrolled.

**Frank C. Juleff** teaches dramatics and speech, is the sponsor of the Masque and Dagger Club and produced the plays "Arsenic and Old Lace" and "The Bat".



## Considerate, Helpful

Merkley are the very competent teachers of auto mechanics. Mr. Eaves is the only one who is allowed to drive the Jack-rabbit bus. H. B. Gray and Kimball Nelson, sponsors of F. F. A., teach agriculture. Working together as they have been doing is making F. F. A. one of the most active clubs at Mesa High.

The health education department consists of six instructors with Edgar C. Ford, head of the boys, and Marjorie Entz, head of the girls. Clarence Cox has the big job of coaching tennis, but he also coaches some football and basketball. He is sponsor of the popular Racket Club. He coached the Cottontail basketball team which won the dis-



**G. T. Young** teaches journalism, grammar, publications laboratory and is in charge of the publication of the school paper and the year book. He is also sponsor of the Quill and Scroll Club.

**Margaret Heywood** teaches sophomore and freshman English and is advisor of the freshmen class.





Mr. Linwood Noble patiently directs the beginning strings class.



Aiding students to get ahead through a better understanding of English is the favorite occupation of Eugenie Brandon.



strict championship. Kenneth Heywood coaches the varsity track team, and the Bunnie football and basketball teams. Hilbert Brady coaches the varsity baseball team, is line coach on the varsity football, and coaches the Cottontail football team. In addition to this he teaches one class of Spanish. Mr. Ford, head coach, coaches varsity football and basketball. He also sponsors the M Club. Miss Entz teaches health education, directs Mesa High's famous marching squad, and sponsors G. A. A. Katherine Weber, here for her first year, is dance director and advisor of the Dance Club. She is the assistant director of the marching squad.

Mesa High is one of the few schools in the state that requires four years of social studies for graduation. The curriculum consists of two years social studies, and one of American history and one of American problems.

F. H. Bradshaw teaches literature and dramatics. He produced "Captain Applejack," a three-act play, and assisted in the direction of the operetta, "Pirates of Penzance." He also sponsors National Honor Society.

Floyd D. Denton teaches A Cappella and vocal music. He directed the Vesper Service and was general director of the operetta, "Pirates of Penzance."

Griffin S. Stephenson teaches art and is the sponsor of the Brush and Palette Club. He helps with the art work for formal dances, plays, operetta and annual.

Linwood Noble teaches instrumental music and ensemble, sponsors the Swing Club and was in charge of the music for the operetta. He lead the Jackrabbit band at all the football games.







M. L. Fairbanks teaches shop and has for the last two years been building up a wood working department.



Kenneth S. Shumway teaches mechanical drawing and advanced draft. He is the sponsor of the Tumblers Club.



Emmett L. Merkley teaches auto mechanics. He is a graduate of Mesa High.



Carl Eaves teaches mechanics and is chauffeur of the Jackrabbit Bus.

## Hardworking and Understanding

The driver training course, just beginning this year, is taught by Arland Branch. This course has been very successful this year, in that about 200 students have taken the course, which is two weeks long. More than an average number of students who have taken the course passed the drivers test with 96% or above. One of the most popular teachers is freshman social studies teacher, J. M. Mason. He is in charge of all ticket selling done at the school. The junior class advisor this year is Forrest Cockrell, teacher of American problems and American history. He is also sponsor of the Wrestlers and Tumblers Club. Don C. Sparks, another new teacher, is advisor of the senior class and teaches American problems. He also sponsors the Gah Tso Club. Advisor of the newly organized safety council is Lee Kramer who teaches American history. The council has done a lot in keeping the school safe. Teaching audio-visual and several classes of social studies is Francis Feeney. He has brought many films that otherwise would have not been seen by the students. Warren Wells is the sponsor of the sophomore class and teacher of social studies. He is the Les Amis Club sponsor. Hyman Weisburg, another new teacher, is a teacher of social studies. He also assists with the Wrestlers and Tumblers Club.

Social studies is one of the important subjects, for in these classes the students learn student government. They take charge of classes in discussion, and even in giving tests sometimes. These teachers have a harder job than most people think.

Francelle Johnson, librarian, is always willing to help a student looking up information in the library. She has the job of taking care and checking on all of the school books. Owen T. Porter teaches typing I, II, III and IV. He is always willing to help other teachers and students who need work done. Teaching shorthand and typing III and IV is Margaret Thomas. She is considered one of the best



Carl Eaves and Emmett L. Merkley give "how to keep it going" instruction to auto mechanics students.



Exercise develops grace and poise in the beginning dance class.





Henry B. Gray Jr. teaches vocational agriculture and is sponsor of Future Farmers of America.



George K. Nelson teaches vocational agriculture and is another sponsor of Future Farmers of America.



Clarence E. Cox is tennis coach and assists in varsity football. He coaches the Bunnies reserve football team and Cottontail basketball team. He announces all games and is advisor of the Racket Club.



Kenneth Heywood coaches the varsity track team and the Bunnies in both football and basketball. He is in charge of all activities during the noon hour.



Hilbert J. Brady coaches the varsity baseball team and is varsity line coach in football. He also coaches the Cottontails in football. He is a teacher of Spanish I.



Edgar C. Ford is head of the boys physical education department. He coaches varsity football and basketball. He is advisor of the very active M. Club who sponsors the M. Club Thanksgiving Dance.



Katherine Weber teaches beginning and advanced dancing and assisted Miss Entz in the marching squad. She is sponsor of the Dance Club which presents one of the best assemblies of the year.



Marjorie Entz is head of the girls physical education department. She directs the colorful marching squad and has taught at Mesa High for thirteen years. She is also advisor of the active G. A. A. Club.



Freeman who has the enterprising school





Forest C. Cockrell teaches American History, American Problems, and is the advisor of the junior class which sponsors the Junior and Senior Prom.

Don C. Sparks teaches American Problems and is sponsor of the Gah Tso Club which presents the Gah Tso award and sponsors the Gah Tso rally. He is also advisor of the senior class.

Lee Kramer teaches American History and is sponsor of the Safety Council which is in charge of the safety program of the school including drivers training and fire drills.



J. M. Mason teaches freshman social studies and is the chairman in charge of all the ticket selling of the school.

Arland Branch is the teacher of drivers training class.

Assisting students to understand and use the principles of bookkeeping is Mr. K. A. Romey, teacher of commercial classes.



## Enthusiastic, Efficient In Their Work

commercial teachers in the state. A new teacher, K. A. Romey, teaches bookkeeping, salesmanship and typing.

Students have really learned something in bookkeeping this year. They have learned how to fill out income forms, which will probably be a big help in later life.

With thirteen new teachers this year, and the different schedules and subjects, our faculty is doing a splendid job of preparing the students for what comes next.

The faculty has three big parties during the year—The fall initiation party held on the desert, the Christmas party, and a goodbye banquet the last week of school, for those teachers who are leaving Mesa High. Their association is

called the Classroom Teachers Association of which Mr. Worthen is the newly elected president for the coming year.

The faculty women have an organization to which faculty women and the faculty wives belong. They give a so-called "Hello Party" for the new teachers. At this party each new teacher has to contribute something to the program and give a short speech. This party was a big success this year. Mrs. Lee Kramer is president of the organization this year, and she has done a fine job. They meet once every month.

There were about sixteen teachers who worked an extra month last summer to make sure everything was ready for



*Fireball Feeney*



Francis Feeney teaches sophomore social studies and is head of the Audio-Visual department.



Warren W. Wells teaches sophomore social studies, psychology, and is sponsor of the Les Amis Club which welcomes new students to the school.



Hyman R. Weisburg teaches freshman social studies, is co-sponsor of the club council and is also co-adviser of all clubs.



Francelle Johnson, the librarian of the school, is always willing to help anyone who is looking for information.

this year. They worked out, among other things, another plan of registration.

Another faculty organization is the Southside School Employees Federal Credit Union to which all school employees may belong. This organization is for the benefit of its members only. Teachers and school employees can save money and get loans at a lower rate of interest. Teachers from Mesa, Tempe, Chandler, and Gilbert are members.

Some of Mr. Don C. Lillywhite's students concentrate on a difficult physics problem.



Owen T. Porter teaches typing I, II, III and IV.



Margaret D. Thomas teaches shorthand I, II, III, and IV and typing III and IV.



Kenneth A. Romey teaches salesmanship, commercial law, bookkeeping I, II, III, and IV and typing I and II. He is advisor of the newly formed Arts and Craft Club.







Back row: left to right—Mr. Weisburg, Miss Dorothy Turner.

Second row: left to right—Melvin Pearce, Stuart Martins, Joe Arvoyo, Wayne Legg.

Front row: left to right—Barbara Oates, Sharon Powell, Marilyn Porter, Wilna Lamoreaux.



Back row: left to right—Glenn Law, Stanley Duke, Morris Rollins, Lee Kramer, Dix Coons, Ann Long.

Front row: left to right—Jack McPhee, Anita Cox, Bertha Louise Baker, Shirley Barney, Gertrude Law, Jack Coggins.

## Cooperative Safety and Club Councils

The safety council, newly organized this year, has done much to promote safety in the school. It has succeeded in acquiring a dual controlled car, by which 250 of the students have learned how to drive correctly and efficiently; revived fire drills, and supervised the correct parking of bicycles and motorscooters.

The council, under the direction of Lee Kramer, is chosen at the end of each year. Two members are elected by each class and one other member is chosen from each class by the elected members.

Another new council organized this year was the club council headed by Wayne Legg, club commissioner, and sponsored by Hyman Weisburg and Dorothy Turner, of the faculty.

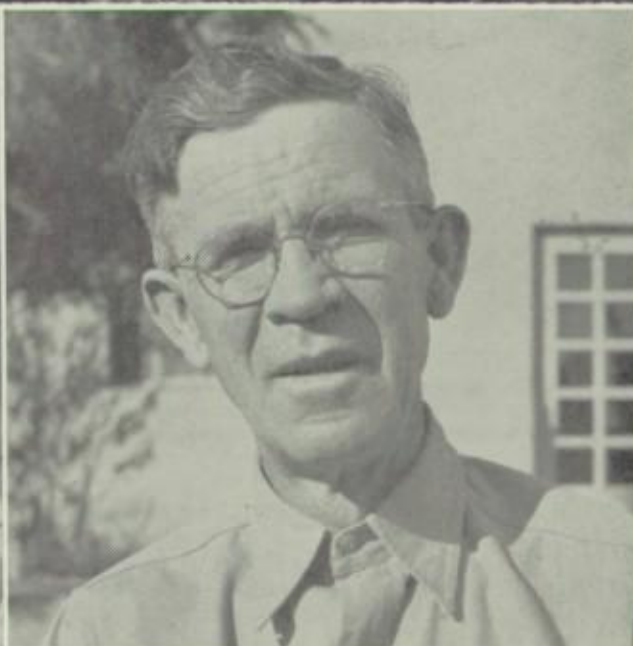
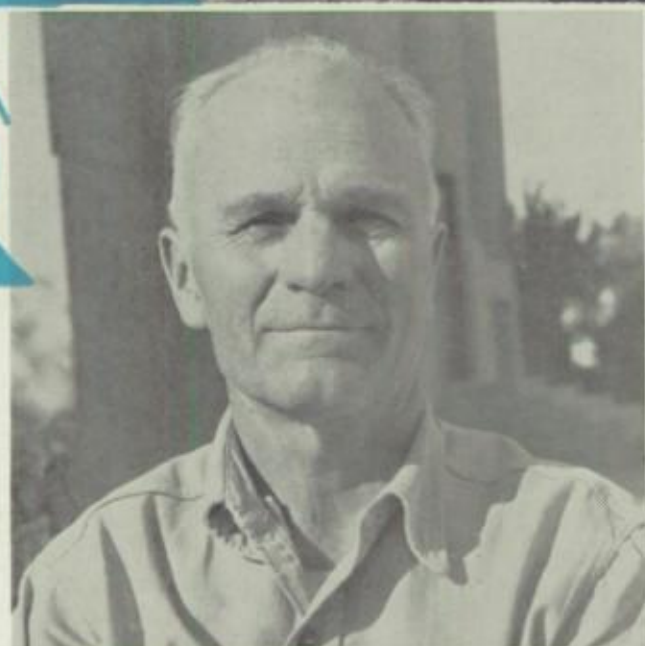
Another duty of the council members was to visit the different clubs throughout the school, helping them to "iron out" any problems they had and to help establish new clubs on the campus. This was a new system and it worked out wonderfully, as evidenced by the fact that the twenty-three clubs were more active than ever.



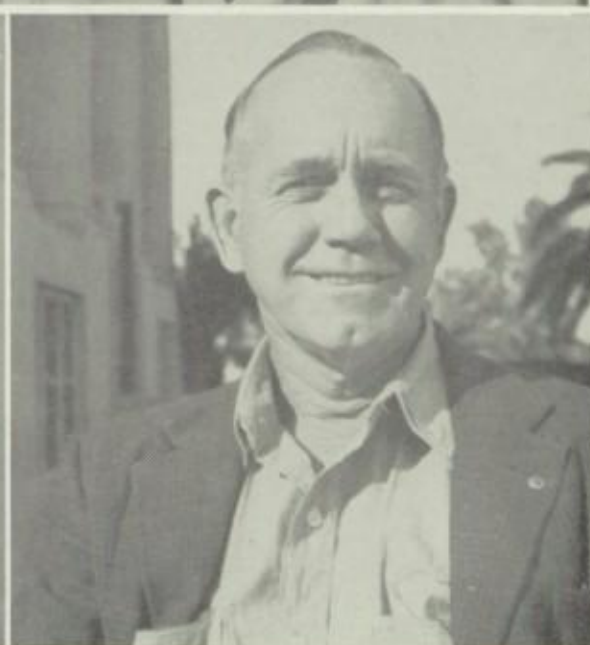
Standing: left to right—Mel Allen, head of maintenance, George Howard, Howard Parks, A. L. Skaggs, Bert Follett.



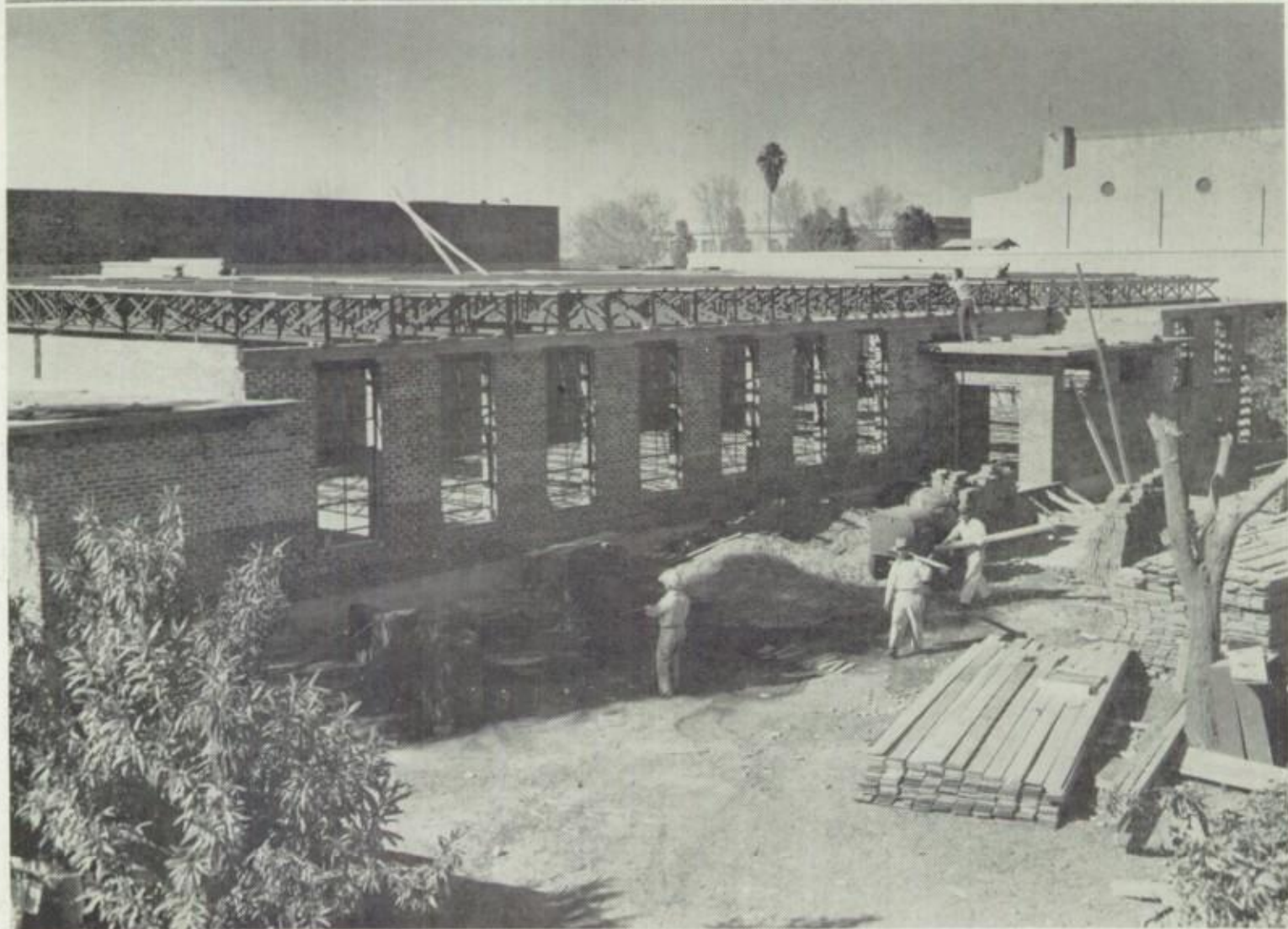
Right—Joseph G. Farr, W. C. Petersen.



Bottom—James Skousen, Mae Stanley, Charles L. Myers.







## *South Patio Gives Way to New Building*

The gay parties and picnics around the stone fireplace and under the Chinese elms in the patio which occupied the southwestern corner of the campus, are gone but will not soon be forgotten.

In their place will stand the new modern cafeteria and farm shop.

It is with deep regrets that memories must give way to progress.

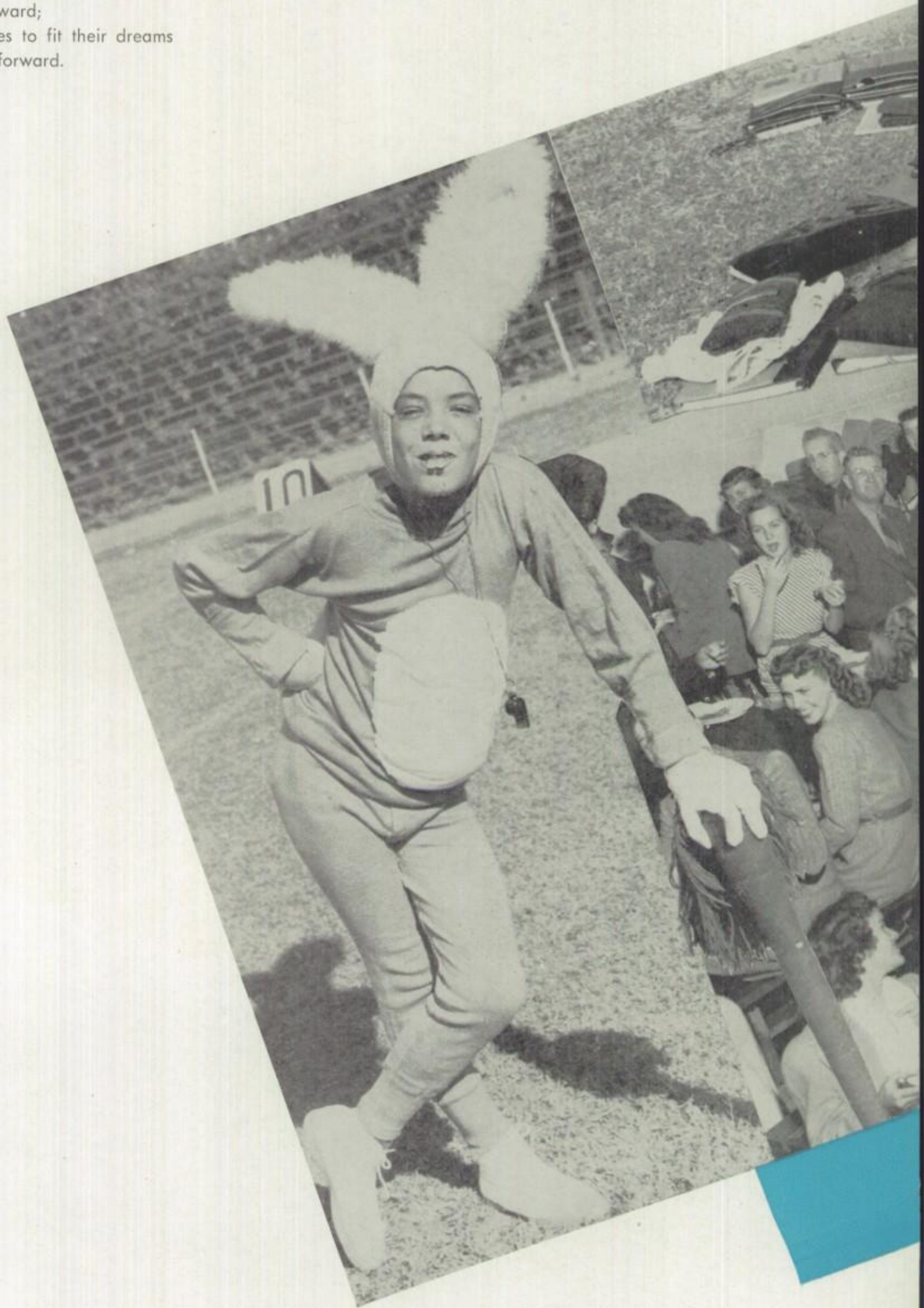




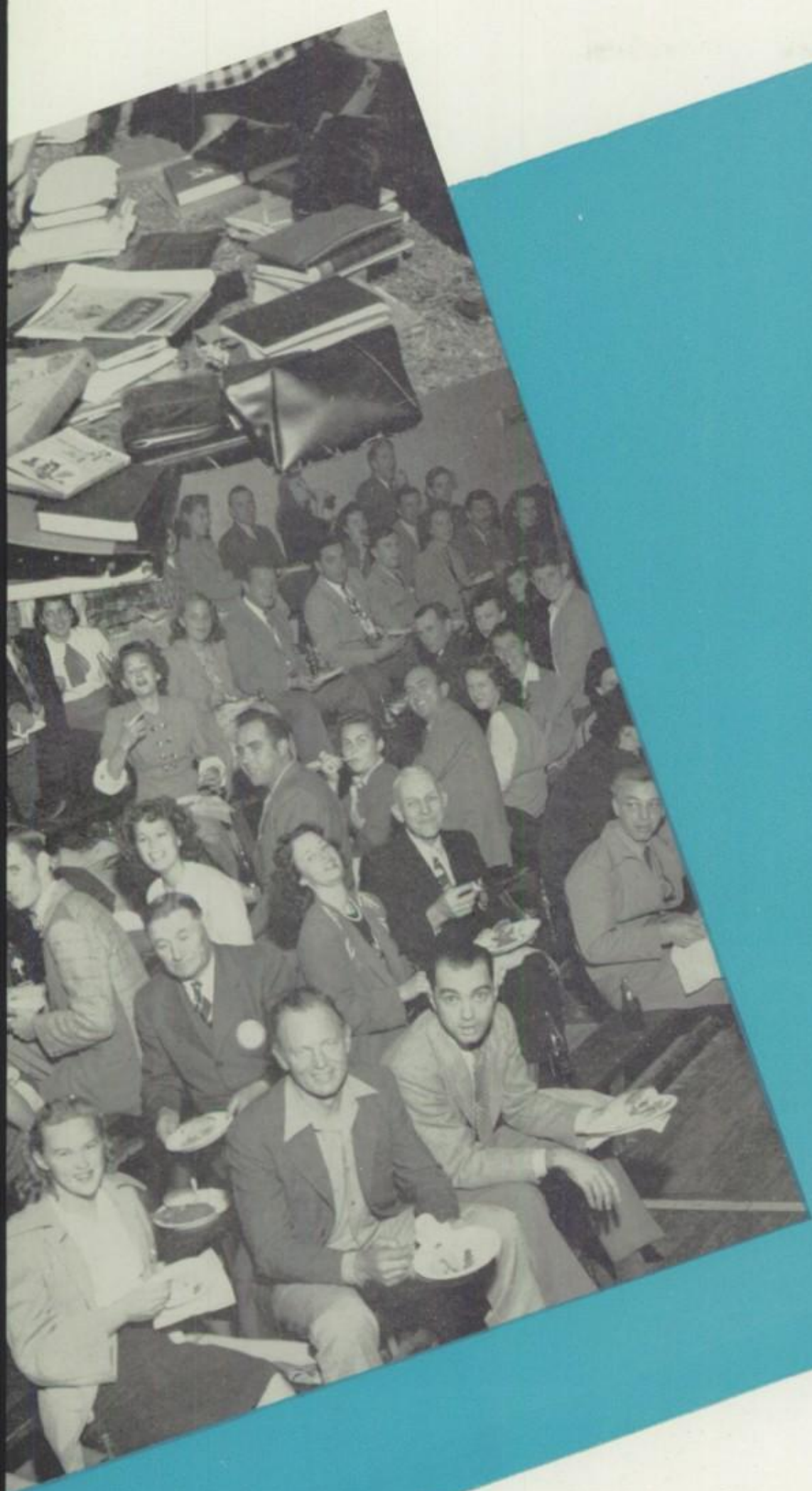
Don Allen.



As water flows in foaming brooks  
Youth is like a fountain;  
Their knowledge comes from many books  
Their strength could move a mountain;  
They are like the dashing streams  
Forever charging onward;  
They think of schemes to fit their dreams  
As they go moving forward.











Senior Class Officers: left to right—Frieda Davis, Secretary; John Hamblin, President; and JoAnne Nelson, Vice President.

# *S e n i o r s*

Next week is the culmination of four years of hard work for the seniors. Now they will set out by themselves to make a place in the world, with only the wonderful memories of their high school days left.

As freshmen they rode into Mesa High on the crest of a wave, confident and sure of themselves, that is until the halls rang with the cry of "Freshman!" However, with Milford Dorsett, Dan Russell and Gertrude Law as their leaders they soon caught on to high school life and a very active part in school activities, giving the upperclassmen stiff competition in paper, stamp and bond drives.

When they were sophomores, Richard LeSueur, Jo Anne Nelson and Eleanor Johnson led them as one of Mesa High's most active classes of the year. This was the year Mesa High achieved one thousand students, and of course she was a sophomore!

The prom, one of the most original and outstanding

ones ever to be given, was enthusiastically staged by the juniors of '47, under the capable leadership of George Beall, Helen Harper and Frieda Nielson, officers. Their class parties, well attended by the active juniors, were very much enjoyed, giving all memories of an evening well spent.

The senior year came at last—with all the activities of governing the school, and getting ready for graduation, under the guidance of John Hamblin, Jo Anne Nelson and Frieda Davis. Though only a small crowd enjoyed the first senior party everyone had a wonderful time, and many more came to the second. Of course the senior banquet, held the night before commencement, provides the most magnificent party of the high school days.

The most outstanding and long awaited event of the high school career is graduation, May 28. The class of '48 leaves dear old Mesa High with many grand memories of days spent on its campus.





**DOROTHY ABNEY:** Sub Deb (3), Songsters Club (3), Jack-rabbit Staff (4), Chorus (1). **LEONARD ADAIR:** Rifle Club (2), Kem Klub (3), A Capella (3), Chorus (1, 2), Operettas (3, 4). **NORMA ADAMS:** Majoring in business.



**SARAH ADAMS:** Entered from Jackson, Mississippi (4). **HAROLD ALEXANDER:** Entered from Longview Texas (4), Active in Sports (1, 2, 3, 4). **ROSELLA AMERSON:** Sub Deb (2, 3), Book Club (3), Chorus (1, 2, 3).



**DONALEE ANDERSON:** G. A. A. (1, 2), Songsters Club (3), Marching Squad (4). **JOYCE ARNDT:** Entered from Allegan, Michigan (4). **BILL ASHER:** Varsity Football (2), Second Team (1), Second Team Baseball (1), Varsity Track (1, 2, 3, 4), M Club (1, 2, 3, 4), Projectionist Club (3, 4).

**ARNOLD BAILEY:** Klick Club (2), Curtain Pullers (3), Jack-rabbit Staff (4), Chorus (1,3). **DICK BAILEY:** Masque and Dagger (2, 3, 4), Boys League Council (4), Song of Bernadette (3). **BETTY BAKER:** Entered from Thomas Howe High School, Indianapolis, Indiana (4).

**SYBIL BARTH:** Yarn Bunnies (3), Racquet Club (3), Youth Center President (4). **MAXINE BATES:** Entered from Chandler (4). **GEORGE BEALL:** "M" Club (2, 3, 4), Gah Tso (3, 4), National Honor Society (2, 3, 4), Class President (3), Student Council (3), Boys League Council (2), Varsity Football (2, 4), Second Team (1), Varsity Basketball (2), Second Team (1), Track Manager (1), Jackrabbit Staff (4).

**STANLEY BEASLEY:** Curtain Pullers (3), Royal Games (2, 3), Vice-President (3), Plasticraft Club (2). **ANNA MAE BESS:** Entered from Morris, Oklahoma (3). **LE ROY BISHOP:** Second Team Football (1, 2, 3), Second Team Baseball (1), Chorus (1).



*Le Roy Bishop*





**IRELTA BLAU:** Plasticraft (2), National Honor Society (2, 3, 4), Secretary (4), Seminary Songsters (3), Marching Squad (2, 3, 4), Orchestra (1), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Quill and Scroll (4), Superstition Staff (4). **DARLENE BLOW:** Yarn Bunnies (3, 4), A Capella (4), Chorus (3). **ROSALIE BOLLINGER:** F. H. A. (2), Chorus (1), Jackrabbit Staff (3).



**ALICE JEAN BOND:** Square Dance Club (2), Yarn Bunnies (2), Secretary (2), Curtain Pullers (3), Secretary (3), Ensemble (2), Orchestra (1), Jackrabbit Staff (3). **KARL BOND:** Tennis Club (2, 3), Chorus (1, 2). **TOM BRANER:** Kem Club (2, 3, 4), Royal Games (2, 3).



**LUANA BRIMLEY:** Entered from Salt Lake, Utah (4). **BILL BRISCO:** Entered from Owenboro, Kentucky (4). **ELMER BROWN:** F. F. A. (2, 3), Boots and Saddle (3, 4).

**GWENDOLYN BROWN:** Entered from Virden, New Mexico (4), Masque and Dagger (4). **MARY BUNCH:** Klick Club (2, 3). **BUDDY BURNHAM:** Camera (3), Rifle Club (2), Royal Games Club (3), Varsity Track (3, 4).



**LOUISE CALHOUN:** Dance Club (2, 3, 4), Masque and Dagger (2, 3), Les Amis (4), Girls League Council (4), Marching Squad (2), Jackrabbit Staff (3, 4), Superstition Staff (4), Captain Applejack (4). **MARY LOU CARPENTER:** Entered from Fort Thomas, Arizona (2). **RETA CARR:** Sub-Deb Club (2), Tennis Club (3), G. A. A. (2, 3, 4), Social Dance (2), Marching Squad (3), Chorus (2), Superstition (4) Tennis (3).



**JACK CATHEY:** Tumblers (1, 2, 3), Secretary (3), Songsters (2), Swing Club (3), Varsity Football (3, 4), Second Team Football (2), Band (3, 4), A Capella (1, 2, 3, 4), Superstition Staff (4), Operettas (1, 2, 3, 4). **PETE CHASE:** How and Why (2), Raquet Club (3), Propectionist Club (2, 3), A Capella (2, 3, 4), Operetta (1, 2, 3, 4), Varsity Track (4), Second Team Track (2, 3). **SUE ANN CHEADLE:** Yarn Bunnies (3), Sympho Club (3), El Conejo Editor (4).





**CHRISTINE CLARKSON:** G. A. A. (2, 3, 4), Marching Squad (2, 3, 4), Tennis (3). **GERALDINE CLICK:** Entered from Newport Harbor High, Santa Ana, California (3), Chorus (3), **CHERRIE CLUFF:** Dance Club (2, 3), Vice President (3), G. A. A. (1, 2), Curtain Pullers (3), Marching Squad Leader (3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Superstition Staff (4), Quill and Scroll (4), Dramatics (3), National Honor (4), Gah Tso (4).

**CHERRIL CLUFF:** Sub Deb (3), G. A. A. (2). **NOREEN CLUFF:** Sub-Deb (3), Jackrabbit Staff (4). **VILA COLLINWOOD:** G. A. A. (2, 3), Seminary Chorus (3), Plasticraft Club (3), Jackrabbit Staff (4).

**KATHLEEN COOK:** Findlay High, Ohio, Sec. (3), Chorus (1, 2). **RUTH COOMBS:** Sub-Deb (3), Chorus (3). **BETTYE ANN COOPER:** How and Why (2), Sympho (3), National Honor (2, 3, 4), Gah Tso (3, 4), Pep Band (2, 3, 4), Fine Arts Commissioner (4), Band (2, 3, 4), Ensemble (2, 3, 4), Orchestra (1).



**CHARLINE COSPER:** Entered from Pasadena, California (2), Klick Club (2), Rifle Club (3), Bios Club (3), Dance Club (3), Social Dance (2), A Capella (3, 4), Chorus (2, 4), Operetta (2, 3, 4). **BERTHA CRAIG:** Social Dance (2), Yarn Bunnies (3), Chorus (1). **LOUIS CRANDALL:** Art Club (1, 2, 3, 4), Vice President (3), Gah Tso (3, 4), Quill and Scroll (3, 4), Bios Club (3, 4), President (3), Student Body President (4), Student Council (4), Jackrabbit Staff (3, 4), Superstition Staff (1, 2, 3, 4).

**EUGENE CROMMENT:** Entered from Colorado Springs, Colorado (4). **FRIEDA DAVIS:** Curtain Pullers (3), National Honor Society (3, 4), Secretary (3), Dance Club (1, 2, 3, 4), Gah Tso (3, 4), Quill and Scroll (4), President (4), Masque and Dagger (4), G. A. A. (1, 2), Class Secretary (4), Girls League Secretary (3), Marching Squad (2, 3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (3), Superstition Editor (4). **GLORIA DAVIS:** Latin American Club (2), Sub Deb (3), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Superstition Staff (4).

**PRISCILLA DINGMAN:** Photo Club (2, 3), F. H. A. (3), Yarn Bunnies (2), Marching Squad (3, 4), Chorus (1), Jackrabbit Staff (3, 4), Superstition Staff (3, 4), Quill and Scroll (4). **HELEN DONG:** G. A. A. (1), Klick Club (2), Yarn Bunnies (2), Sympho (3), Racquet Club (1), Jackrabbit Staff (3, 4), Superstition Staff (4). **MILFORD DORSETT:** "M" Club (2, 3, 4), Rifle Club (2), Student Council (1), Class President (1), Varsity Football (2, 4), Second Team (1, 2), Varsity Basketball (4), Second Team (2, 3), Varsity Track (4), A Capella (2, 3, 4).



**ROBERT EDWARDS:** Pedal and Spoke (1, 2), Chess Club (1), Art Club (1). **ROBERT ELLSWORTH:** F. F. A. (1, 2), Royal Games (3), Bios Club (3). **JEAN FAIR:** Entered from Hoover High, Glendale, California (3).



**GARY FEEZOR:** Entered from Lampasas, Texas (2), M Club (3, 4), "L" Club (2), Tumbling (3, 4), Varsity Football (2, 3, 4), Second Team Football (1). **GLORIA FLORES:** Latin American Club (1, 2, 3, 4), A Capella (2, 3, 4), Marching Squad (2, 3). **BETTY JEAN FORBACH:** Kem Klub (3), Science Service (3, 4), How and Why (2), G. A. A. (3, 4).



**LEE FRANKS:** Crafts (1), Rifle Club (3), Second Team Football (3). **RAMONA FREEMAN:** G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4), Racquet Club (3, 4), Chorus (2), Marching Squad (2), Tennis (3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Messiah (2), Quill and Scroll (4). **JO FRYE (GODFREY):** Racquet Club (2, 3), President (3), Vice-President (2), Secretary (2, 3), Boots and Saddles (3), Masque and Dagger (2), Marching Squad (3), Jackrabbit (3), Tennis (2, 3).



**DELWYN GARDNER:** A Capella (1, 2, 3, 4), M Club (2, 3, 4), Gah Tso (3, 4), Tumblers (2), Student Council (4), Boys' League Council (2, 3, 4), Vice-President (3), President (4), Varsity Basketball (3, 4), Second Team Basketball (1, 2), Varsity Basketball (2, 3, 4), Second Team (1), A Capella (1, 2, 3, 4). **NINA GARDNER:** Entered from Lakeside (2), Chorus (3). **IDA GIBBONS:** G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (4).



**FRANKLIN GIBSON:** Pedal and Spoke (1), Plastcraft (2), Royal Games (2, 3), Chess Club (3), M Club (3, 4), Manager (3, 4). **ROBERT GILDEHOUSE:** Entered from Merced, California (2), Band (2). **VIVIAN GILDEHOUSE:** Entered from Merced, California (2), Band (2, 3, 4).



**BILL GLAZIER:** M Club (3, 4), Boots and Saddles (3, 4), Varsity Football (3, 4), Varsity Basketball (3, 4), Second Team Basketball (1, 2), Chorus (1), Jackrabbit (3, 4), Dramatics (1, 4). **KENNETH GOODMAN:** Boots and Saddles (2), F. F. A. (1, 2), Rifle Club (4). **DAVENA GREER:** Sub-Deb (1), Curtain Pullers (3), F. H. A. (2), Photography Club (3), Marching Squad (2, 3, 4), Chorus (2, 3).





**DORIS GROLL:** Entered from Holden High, Missouri (2). **LOLA GYLLING:** National Honor (2, 3, 4), Les Amis (1, 2, 3, 4), Secretary (2), Rifle Club (2), Secretary (2) Boots and Saddles (3), Gah Tso (3, 4), Student Body Vice-President (4), Girls League council (3), Marching Squad (2). **JOHN HAMBLIN:** Gah Tso (3, 4), National Honor (2, 3, 4), Pep band (1, 2, 3, 4), Boots and Saddles (3), Student Council (4), Senior Class President (4), Boys League Council (3), Band (1, 2, 3, 4), Ensemble (1).



**JOHN HARMON:** Klick Club (2), Boots and Saddles (3), Chorus (1, 3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Superstition Staff (3). **SAM HATTON:** Boots and Saddles (1, 2), F. F. A. (2), Rifle Club (4). **BETTY HARTLEY:** Scrapbook Club (4).



**JEAN HEEDER:** Dance Club (1, 2), Boots and Saddles (2, 3). **HELEN HARPER:** Kem club (3), Sympho (3), Dance Club (1, 2, 3), Masque and Dagger (1), Girls' League (4), Junior Class Vice-President (3). **ROMA HEINER:** G. A. A. (2, 3, 4), Dance Club (2, 4), Chorus (1, 2, 3).

**YVONNE HIENER:** Plastcraft (2) Band (1, 2, 3, 4), Chorus (2, 3). **STANLEY HEMPHILL:** Projectionist Club (3, 4), Pep Band (3, 4), Second Team Football (2), Band (1, 2, 3, 4). **MAXINE HERBERT:** G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (4).

**ALFRED HEYWOOD:** Boots and Saddles (2, 3), Projection Club (3, 4), F. F. A. (2, 3, 4), Chess Club (1), Varsity Football (3, 4), Second Team Football (1, 2), Baseball (1). **KENT HILTON:** Rifle Club (2), Kem Klum (3), President (3), National Honor (4). **BERTIE HOGLE:** How and Why (2) Secretary (2), Plastcraft (2), National Honor (3, 4), Vice-President (4), Masque and Dagger (3, 4), Curtain Pullers (3), Gah Tso (4), Band (1, 2, 3, 4), Song of Bernadette (3), Spring Green (4), Quill and Scroll (4), Secretary (4).

**JIM HORNE:** M Club (4), Varsity Baseball (3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (4). **BETTY JOYCE HUFFAKER:** F. H. A. (2), Yarn Bunnies (3), Marching Squad (3, 4). **DON HUNT:** How and Why (2), Boots and Saddles (3), M Club (4), Boys League (4) Baseball Manager (3), Chorus (1, 2, 4).







**LOWELL HUNTER:** Art Club (2), Seminary Songsters (1), Square Dance (1), Dramatics (1, 4). **LUELLA JAMES:** Songsters (2, 3, 4), C. A. P. (4), Chorus (1, 3). **RUTH JAMES:** Sub-Deb (1), Pedal and Spoke (2), Secretary (2), G. A. A. (3, 4), A Capella (2, 3, 4), Chorus (1), Tennis (3), Gondoliers (2).



**CAROL JENNINGS:** Entered from Morenci, Arizona (1), How and Why (2), Secretary (2), Kem Klub (3). **ELEANOR JOHNSON:** How and Why (2), Secretary (2), Curtain Pullers (3), President (3), Masque and Dagger (3, 4), Sophomore Class Secretary (2), Attendance Office (2, 4), Song of Bernadette (3), A Date With Judy (3), Spring Green-makeup staff, National Honor (4). **FRED JOHNSON:** National Honor (2, 3, 4), Masque and Dagger (2, 3, 4), Secretary (3), Seminary Chorus (1, 2, 3, 4), Second Team Baseball (2), Dramatics (1, 2, 3, 4).



**MERLE JOHNSON (SORENSEN):** Entered from Buffalo, New York (2), Marching Squad (3, 4). **GENE JOHNSTON:** Entered from Pima, Arizona (1), F. F. A. (1), Rifle Club (3), Varsity Football (3, 4), Second Team Football (1, 2). **ELIZABETH JONES:** Entered from San Diego, California (2), National Honor (2, 3), Gah Tso (3), Book Club (2), Sympho Club (3), A Capella (2, 3, 4), Mikado (3).

**JIM JONES:** F. F. A. (2), M Club (2, 3, 4), Varsity Football (3, 4), Second Team Football (1, 2), Les Amis (4). **LAMAR JONES:** Entered from Virden, New Mexico (1), F. F. A. (1, 2), Les Amis (2, 3, 4), Varsity Basketball (3, 4), Track Manager (2), A Capella (3, 4), Dramatics (3, 4). **LAVAR JONES:** Royal Games (2), Racquet Club (3), Kem Klub (3), Gah Tso (4), Ensemble (1, 2, 4), Seminary (1, 2, 3, 4), President (4).

**FLOYD JUDD:** Projection Club (3, 4), M Club (3, 4), Manager (3, 4), Jackrabbit (4). **JOHN KAZE:** Pedal and Spoke (2), Royal Games (3), Songsters (3), Dramatics (3). **HORACE KENT:** National Honor (2, 3, 4), Gah-Tso (3, 4), Vice-President (4), Pep Band (1, 2, 3, 4), Kem Klub (3), Les Amis (1, 2, 3, 4), Band (1, 2, 3, 4), Ensemble (1).

**FLORENCE KILPATRICK:** Entered from Belmont, Wisconsin (4), Band (4), Chorus (4), Gah Tso (4). **SYBIL LAMOREAUX:** G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4), Seminary Songsters (4), Marching Squad (2, 3, 4). **WILNA LAMOREAUX:** G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4), Dance Club (1, 2), Marching Squad (2, 3, 4), Leader (4), Dramatics (3), Attendance Office (4).





**DAWNE LANCASTER:** Songsters (2), Chorus (2, 3, 4), C. A. P. (4). **JOHN LARGE:** Entered from Gallup, New Mexico (4), Masque and Dagger (4), Band (2, 3, 4), Arsenic and Old Lace (4), The Pirates of Penzance (4), National Honor Society (4), Gah Tso (4). **DWANE LARSON:** Pedal and Spoke (3), Swing Club (2), Second Team Basketball (2, 3), Baseball (3).

**GERTRUDE LAW:** National Honor (2, 3, 4), Gah-Tso (3, 4), Plastcraft (2), Class Secretary (1), Marching Squad (2, 3, 4), Safety Council (4), Quill and Scroll (4), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Superstition Staff (4). **NYLE LATHAM:** Social Dance (1), Klick Klub (1), Pep Club (1), Band (1, 2, 3, 4). **FLOYD LEAVITT:** Royal Games (2), Square Dance (2), Varsity Football (3, 4), Second Track (2).

**EARL LEE:** Second Team Baseball (4). **WAYNE LEGG:** Entered from Jolley High School, Iowa (3), Gah Tso (3, 4), Secretary (4), Songsters (3), Student Council (4), Club Commissioner (4), Prof Club (3), President (4), Masque and Dagger (4). **VIRGINIA LENHART:** G. A. A. (4), Biology Club (1), Gah Tso (3, 4), Curtain Pullers (3), Chorus (1), Marching Squad (2, 3).



**RICHARD LE SUEUR:** M Club (2, 3, 4), Les Amis (3, 4), President (4), Gah Tso (3, 4), National Honor (2, 3, 4), Swing Club (1, 2, 3, 4), Class President (2), Student Council (2), Boys' League Council (1), Varsity Football (2, 3), Varsity Basketball (2, 3, 4), Second Team Basketball (1), Band (1, 2, 3). **FRANCES LOPEZ:** Chorus (1). **ONALEE LUCAS:** Pedal and Spoke (2), Curtain Pullers (3), Songsters (2), A Capella (2, 3, 4), Chorus (1).



**LORAIN LYTTLE:** Entered from Globe High (2), Sub-Deb (3). **ROY A. McCLELLAN:** M Club (2, 3, 4), Plastcraft (3), Audio Visual (3, 4), Student Council (4), Athletic Commissioner (4), Boys' League Council (1), Manager (2, 3), Jackrabbit Staff (4). **RICHARD McCLEVE:** M Club (1, 2, 3, 4), Varsity Basketball (3, 4), Second Team Basketball (1, 2), Varsity Baseball (1, 2, 3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (3).



**DONALD McNAIR:** Plastcraft (2), Ham Club (2), Tumbler Club (3), Spring Green (3). **JACK McPHEE:** Plastcraft (2), Gah Tso (3, 4), National Honor (3, 4), President (4), Royal Games (2), Orchestra (1), Safety Council (4). **ADA MAE MAGNUSON:** Songsters (2), Square Dance (2), Sympho (3), Quill and Scroll (3, 4), Girls' League Council (1), A Capella (4), Chorus (3), Jackrabbit Staff (3), Supersition Staff (4).



**DAVID MARDIS:** Entered from Union, Indiana (2), Varsity Basketball (2, 3), Second Team Basketball (1), Varsity Baseball (3), Tennis (4). **ELLA MAE MARTIN:** Seminary Chorus (3). **WAYNE MARTIN:** F. F. A. (2), Tumbling and Wrestling Club (4), Second Team Football (2, 3), Auto Mechanics (3, 4).

**DOROTHY MARTINEAU:** Entered from Tombstone, Arizona (2), F. H. A. (2, 3), G. A. A. (1, 2, 3), Tennis (1, 2), Peddle and Spoke (4), Marching Squad (1), Band (2, 3, 4), Chorus (1, 2, 3), Tennis (1, 2, 4). **GENE MASTERSON:** Tumblers Club (2), Varsity Football (1), Second Team Football (1, 2, 3), Second Team Basketball (1, 2, 3), Varsity Baseball (3), Second Team Baseball (1, 2). **BETH MATTHEWS:** Dance Club (1, 2, 3, 4), G. A. A. (1, 2), Quill and Scroll (3, 4), Student Council (4), Social Commissioner (4), Marching Squad (3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (3).

**JOHN MATTHEWS:** Entered from West Liberty, Iowa (3), Royal Games (3), Songsters (4), A Capella (4), Chorus (4). **TOSHIKO MATSUYOSHI:** Sub Deb (1, 2), Songsters Club (3), G. A. A. (4), Chorus (1, 2). **ELAINE MEEKER:** G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4), Sympho (3), Bible Club (1), Chorus (2).



**TRELVA MERRILL:** Entered from Safford, Arizona (1), Square Dance (2), Vice President (2), Chorus (3), A Capella (4), Captain Applejack (4), The Lonely Princess (3). **IRMA MILLER:** High Hatters (1), Songsters (2), Square Dance (2), Sympho (3), Girls' League Council (1), A Capella (2, 3, 4), Chorus (1, 2, 3), Superstition Staff (4). **LOIS MITCHELL:** Sub-Deb (3), Plasticraft Club (2), Chorus (1, 2, 3).

**CHARLENE MORTENSEN:** Chorus (2, 3). **COLLEEN MORTENSEN:** Pep Band (1, 2, 3, 4), Gah Tso (4), Band (1, 2, 3, 4), Ensemble (1, 2), A Capella (4), Chorus (3), Superstition Staff (4), "The Boor" (3), Girls' League Council (4). **KENT MORTENSEN:** Second Team Football (1), "Spring Green" (3).

**DONNA MULLENEAUX:** Songsters (1), Masque and Dagger (2), G. A. A. (3, 4), A Capella (2, 3, 4), Chorus (1). **ANN NELSON:** G. A. A. (1), Dance Club (2, 3), Boots and Saddles (3, 4), Masque and Dagger (2, 3, 4), Marching Squad (3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Superstition Staff (4), "A Date with Judy" (3), Quill and Scroll (4). **JO ANNE NELSON:** Masque and Dagger (2, 3), Boots and Saddles (3), G. A. A. (4), Class Vice President (2, 4), Marching Squad (2, 3), Jackrabbit Staff (3, 4).





**HARRY NEWELL:** Gah Tso (3, 4), Quill and Scroll (3, 4), Tennis (3), Curtain Pullers (3), Klick Klub (2), Publicity Commissioner (4), Boys' League Council (4), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Superstition Staff (3, 4), Student Council (4). **ELLEN NEWTON:** Entered from Clifton, Arizona (4), Masque and Dagger (4), Band (4), Jackrabbit Staff (4). **FRIEDA NIELSON:** Masque and Dagger (2), Seminary Songsters (3), Gah Tso (4), G. A. A. (2, 3, 4), Student Body Secretary (4), Student Council (4), Class Secretary (3), Jackrabbit Staff (4), National Honor (4).



**KARL NIELSON:** M Club (3, 4), Varsity Football (3), All State Football Team (3), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Varsity Track (3). **WALTER NOBLE:** Gah Tso (3, 4), National Honor Society (2, 3, 4), Kem Klub (3), Pedal and Spoke (2), Rifle Club (3), Band (1, 2, 3, 4), Ensemble (1, 2, 4), Pep Band (1, 2, 3, 4), Operettas (2, 3, 4). **MAXINE NORR:** Entered from Tremonton, Utah (4), Superstition Staff (4).



**BOB OATES:** Tumblers (2, 3), Varsity Football (4), Second Team (2, 3, 4), Varsity Basketball (4), Second Team (1, 2, 3), Varsity Baseball (3, 4), Second Team (1, 2). **MARY ODA:** Songsters Club (2, 4), Chorus (2, 4). **HENRY ONG:** Kem Klub (3).

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**DELBERT OPIE:** Operetta (1), Orchestra (1), Chorus (1). **DELIA ORTIZ:** Latin American Club (3, 4), G. A. A. (4), Marching Squad (2, 4), Chorus (1). **SACRAMENTO ORTIZ:** Latin American Club (1, 2, 3), Audio Visual Club (1), Second Team Basketball (1, 2), Varsity Baseball (1), Second Team Baseball (1), Jackrabbit Staff (3, 4).

**MELVIN PALMER:** Science Service (1), Tumblers (2), Secretary (2), Sympho (4), Secretary (3), A Capella (1, 2, 3, 4), President (4), Operetta (1, 2, 3, 4). **BILL PATTERSON:** Rifle Club (2, 3, 4), Varsity Baseball (3, 4), Second Team (2), Jackrabbit Staff (4). **BETH PAYNE:** Charm (1), National Honor Society (2, 3, 4), Gah Tso (3, 4), Quill and Scroll (3, 4), Masque and Dagger (2, 3, 4), Seminary Chorus (3), Sympho Club (3), G. A. A. (2), Marching Squad (2), A Capella (2, 3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (3), Superstition Staff (4), Operetta (2, 3).

**MELVIN PEARCE:** Gah Tso (3, 4), Klick Klub (2, 3), Bios Club (2, 3), Quill and Scroll (3, 4), Student Council (4), Publications Commissioner (4), Jackrabbit Editor (4), Club Council (4). **DON PENDLEY:** Curtain Pullers (3), Masque and Dagger (4), Projection Club (3), Ham Club (2), Date with Judy (3), Song of Bernadette (3). **DELORES PEREZ:** Latin American Club (1, 3, 4).







**ANNABELLE PETRIE:** Latin American Club (2), Sub Deb (3), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Superstition Staff (4). **ELLA MAE POWERS:** Art Club (2, 3), Songsters (3), C. A. P. (3), Chorus (1). **FRANCES POWERS:** Entered from Mound City, Kansas (4).



**IRA PRATT:** Entered from Juarez Stake, Old Mexico (3), Varsity Football (4). **MICHAEL QUINONES:** Tennis Club (1, 3), Varsity Football (2, 3), Second Team (1), Second Team Baseball (1), Varsity Track (2, 3), Chorus (1, 2). **LOLA MAE RANDALL:** G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4), National Honor Society (2, 3, 4), Science Service Club (3, 4), Chorus (2).



**WAYNE RANDALL:** Boots and Saddles (1, 2), M Club (3, 4), Kem Klub (3), Rifle Club (2, 3), Varsity Track (3, 4). **GUY RAY:** Kliek Club (3), Chorus (3). **JEANNE ANNE REAMES:** Sub Deb (2), Songsters (2), Sympho (3), A Capella (2, 3, 4), Chorus (1).

**JOYCE REBER:** Sub-Deb (1), Future Homemakers of America (2), Social Dance (2), A Capella (2, 3). **ELLA MAE RICHARDSON:** Major in Business. **WILMA J. RINKE (INGRAM):** Entered from Texas (2), Latin American Club (2, 3), Social Dance (3), Jackrabbit Staff (4).

**MARTHA ROBERTSON:** Gah Tso (3, 4), Sympho (3), Pep (4), Ensemble (1, 2, 3, 4), Band (3, 4), Marching Squad (2). **PEGGY ROLEY:** Masque and Dagger (3, 4), Quill and Scroll (4), Sympho (3), Curtain Pullers (3), Dance Club (4), Chorus (3), Jackrabbit Staff (3), Superstition Staff (4), Dramatics (3, 4). **MORRIS ROLLINS:** Gah Tso (3, 4), National Honor (2, 3, 4), Curtain Pullers Vice Pres. (3), Plasticraft (2), Royal Games (2), Masque and Dagger (4), Safety Commissioner (4), Boys' League (3, 4), Ensemble (1), Superstition Staff (1), Dramatics (3, 4).

**DAVID ROMAN:** Audio Visual (3), Masque and Dagger (4), Quill and Scroll (4), Jackrabbit Staff (3, 4), Superstition Staff (4), Dramatics (4). **ARDEN ROWLEY:** F. F. A. (2), Kliek Club (3, 4), Tumbling and Wrestling Club (4), A Capella (4), Chorus (3), Operetta (4). **ERVIN ROWLEY:** Tumblers Club (4).





**DAN RUSSELL:** Les Amis (2, 3, 4), M Club (1, 2, 3, 4), Class Vice President (1), Boys League Council (2, 4), Varsity Football (2, 3, 4), Second Team (1), Varsity Basketball (3, 4), Second Team (1, 2), Varsity Track (1, 2, 3, 4). **JACK RYE:** Swing Club (4), Band (1, 2, 4), Ensemble (1, 2, 4). **SHIRLEY SANBORN:** Boots and Saddles (3), Masque and Dagger (2, 3), Marching Squad (2), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Superstition Staff (4), Tennis (3).



**CELIA SANCHEZ:** Latin American Club (3, 4), Band (1, 2), Chorus (1). **BERTHA SANDOVAL:** Latin American Club (3, 4). **JOYCE SARGENT:** Plasticraft (2), Sub Deb (3), G. A. A. (4), Marching Squad (3, 4).



**JACK SCHAEHRER:** Varsity Football (2, 3, 4), Second Team (1), Second Team (3), Track (4). **MAX SCHNEFF:** Boots and Saddles (1, 2), Rifle Club (3). **MERLIN SCHURZ:** Band (3, 4), Second Team Baseball (2).



**NANCY SIESSMAYR:** Entered from Bishop Memorial, New York (4). **NORMAN SHUMWAY:** A Capella (2). **DONHER SMITH:** How and Why Club (2), Art Club (2), Scrapbook Club (4), Tennis (3), Jackrabbit Staff (3).



**ELIZABETH SMITH:** Seminary Songsters (3), Orchestra (1), Chorus (2, 4). **WILDON SMITH:** Rifle Club (1, 2, 3), Boots and Saddles (3). **KATHRYN SORENSON:** Entered from Blackfoot, Idaho (3), Sympho (3), See (3), Dance Club (3, 4), Seminary Songsters (3), Chorus (2), A Capella (3, 4).



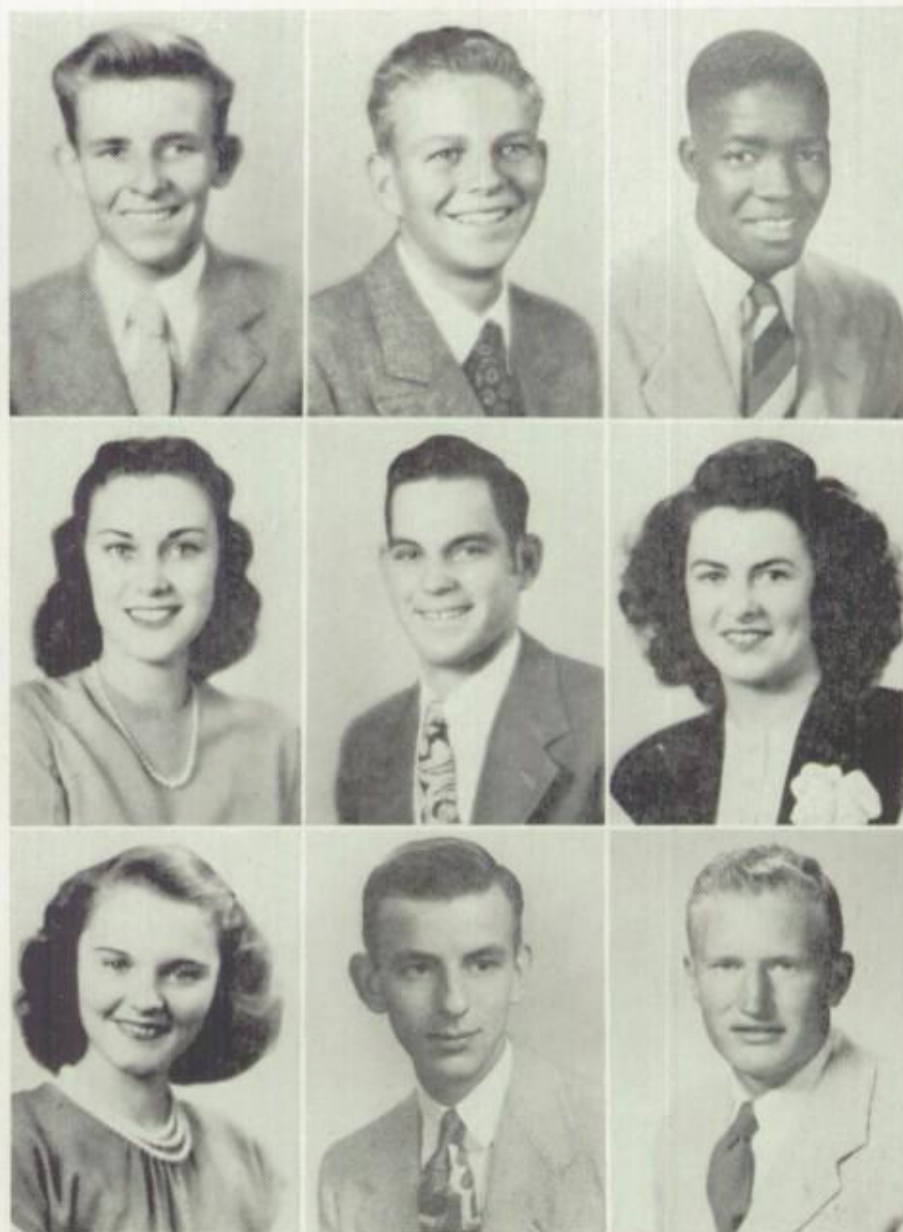
**TED SORENSON:** Boots and Saddles (1), Curtain Pullers (3), Jackrabbit Staff (4). **TWAIN SORENSON:** Boots and Saddles (1), Veterans Club (3, 4), Second Team Football (2), Jackrabbit Staff (4). **DOYLE STANFILL:** Klick Klub (3), Rifle Club (2), F. F. A. (1).



**GEORGE STANTON:** Entered from New York, New York (3). **GERALD STAPLEY:** Royal Games (1, 2, 3), F. F. A. (1, 4), Bios (3). **CHARLIE STEPHENS:** M Club (3, 4), Projection Club (3), Varsity Football (4), Second Team Football (3), Varsity Basketball (3, 4), Second Team Basketball (1, 2), Varsity Baseball (2, 3, 4), Second Team Baseball (1).

**CAROL STEVENSON:** Entered from Nebraska City, Nebraska (2), Sub Deb (3), Sympho (3). **DICK STOW:** M Club (2, 3, 4), Tumbling Club (2), Varsity Football (4), Second Team Football (2), Varsity Baseball (2, 4). **MILDRED STEWART:** Entered from Meriden, Kansas (3).

**JOAN STUCKMAN:** Entered from Nappanee, Indiana (2), Chorus (3). **TOM SWEENEY:** Entered from West Rockford, Illinois (3), R. O. T. C. (3), History Club (2), Second Team Track (2), Wrestling Manager (1), A Capella (4), Chorus (2, 3). **JAMES TENNEY:** M Club (3, 4), F. F. A. (3), Varsity Football (4), Second Team Football (1, 2), Varsity Track (3, 4), Jackrabbit Staff (4).



**BRUCE THOMPSON:** Projection Club (3, 4), M Club (4), Rifle Club (2, 3), Varsity Football (4), Second Team Football (2, 3), Varsity Track (3, 4), Chorus (1, 2). **LOIS THURBER:** Rifle Club (1). **IRIS TIETJEN:** Entered from Grants, New Mexico (4), G. A. A. (1, 2), Girls Club (3), Glee Club (3), Varsity Basketball (2, 3), Second Team Baseball (2, 3), Second Team Track (2), Chorus (2, 3).

**JACQUELINE TRIPP:** Entered from Kenmore, New York (2), Social Dance (2). **MERLE TUCKER:** Sub Deb (1), Social Dance (1), Sympho Club (3), Chorus (1, 2, 3), Jackrabbit Staff (3), A Capella (2), Skit (1, 3). **ELLA MAE TURLEY:** Yarn Bunnies (2), Curtain Pullers (3), Costume Manager, "Spring Green" (3).

**MONA URREA:** Les Amis (3, 4), Gah Tso (3, 4), Boots and Saddles (3), National Honor (2, 3, 4), G. A. A. (1, 2), Student Council (4), Girls' League Council (2, 3, 4), Vice President (3), President (4), Marching Squad (2), Superstition Staff Junior Editor (3). **OSCAR USSERY:** Entered from Stockton, California (4), Second Team Football (2). **DARLENE UTTERBACK:** Entered from Ottumwa, Iowa (2), Scrapbook Club (3, 4), Songsters Club (3), Glee Club (1), Chorus (1, 2, 4).





**ANNA RAE VANCE:** Social Dance (2), Marching Squad (4). **DOROTHY VAN SPANCKEREN:** Sympho Club (3), Klick Club (2), Gah Tso (3, 4), Quill and Scroll (4), Vice President (4), Girls' League Council (3, 4), Marching Squad (2), Chorus (3), Jackrabbit Staff (3, 4), Superstition Staff (4). **KATHERINE WALL:** Scrapbook Club (3, 4), Songsters (3).



**PAUL WALTERS:** Entered from Phoenix (3), Songsters (3), Orchestra (1), Chorus (3). **NELLIE WARD:** Art Club (1, 2), Songsters Club (1), Marching Squad (2). **JUNE WEBB:** Klick Club (1, 2, 3), Seminary Club (3), Boys' League Council (4), Superstition Staff (4), Dramatics (3), Varsity Basketball (4), Second Team Basketball (3), Quill and Scroll (4), Jackrabbit Staff (4), Seminary Vice President (3), National Honor (4), Gah Tso (4), M Club (4).



**RUTH WELLS:** Tennis Club (2, 3, 4), A Capella (3, 4), Chorus (1). **ARLO WEST:** Entered from Lakeside, Arizona (2). **MARY LOU WEST:** G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4), Plasticraft (3), Marching Squad (2, 3, 4), Ensemble (1, 2), Spring Green (3).

**WANDA RAE WEST:** National Honor (3, 4), G. A. A. (3, 4), Sympho (3, 4), Sub Deb (2), Chorus (1), A Capella (2), Gondoliers (2), Mikado (3), Pirates of Penzance (4). **RUTH WHETTEN:** Entered from Grants, New Mexico (4), G. A. A. (2), Glee Club (1, 2, 3), Girls Club (1, 2, 3), Judge (3), Varsity Basketball (1, 2, 3), Varsity Baseball (1, 2, 3), Band (2, 3), A Capella (1, 2, 3), Chorus (1, 2, 3). **ELEANOR WHITE:** Entered from East Douglas, Mass. (3).



**MONICA WHITMAN:** Entered from Chippewa High Doylestown, Ohio (4), G. A. A. (1, 2), Chorus (2, 3). **MAUREEN WHITTLE:** Entered from Central High Washington, D. C. (3), T. A. B. Club (1, 3), Superstition Staff (4). **LEE ETTA WILCKENS:** Entered from Smith-Cotton High, Sedalia, Missouri (2), Scrapbook (1, 2, 3, 4), Secretary (3), Home Room President (2), Marching Squad (4), Chorus (1, 2).



**SHIRLEY MAE WILLIAMS:** Book Club (1, 3), F. H. A. (1, 2), Civil Air Patrol (1, 2), Boots and Saddle (1), Chorus (1), Superstition Staff (4). **ARABELLE WILKINSON:** Yarn Bunnies (2, 3), Book Club (2), Pedal and Spoke (2), Marching Squad (3, 4), Chorus (1, 3), Jackrabbit Staff (3). **DEAN WILLIS:** Varsity Football (3, 4), Second Team Football (2).







**FLEATA WILLIS:** F. H. A. (2, 3, 4), Book Club (2). **JACK WILLIS:** F. F. A. (1), M Club (4), Varsity Football (4), Second Team Football (2, 3). **MAXINE WOOD:** Songsters (2, 3), Sympho Club (3), G. A. A. (4), Marching Squad (2, 3), A Capella (2, 3, 4), Chorus (1, 2), Dramatics (4), Tennis (4).

**BILL WOODS:** Tumblers (4), Secretary (4), Art Club (2, 3, 4), Bunnies (3), Wrestling (4). **MAXINE WOOLSEY (TIDWELL):** G. A. A. (1, 2, 3, 4), Marching Squad (2, 3, 4), Chorus (1, 2, 3, 4). **BILL WORKMAN:** Les Amis (1, 2, 3, 4), M Club (1, 2, 3, 4), Varsity Football (1, 2, 3, 4), Varsity Basketball (1, 3), Varsity Baseball (1, 2, 3, 4).

**VELMA WORKMAN:** Les Amis (1, 2, 3, 4), G. A. A. (1, 2), Marching Squad (2), Jackrabbit Staff (3, 4). **GRANVILLE WRIGHT:** Navy Veteran, Tumblers (4), Wrestling (4). **DORA YOUNG:** Yarn Bunnies (2, 3), Book Club (3), Pedal and Spoke (3, 4), G. A. A. (2, 3, 4), Marching Squad (3, 4).

## Seniors Not Pictured

Delores Bacus, Waneta Bernier, Blinden Jackson, C. D. Bollinger, Neal Chapman, Bob Cline, Lyle Coombs, Brian A. Evans, Janel L. Farr, Fred Franks, J. D. Gentry, Gene Hamblin, Hayward Humdy, Ralpe Hyde, Tom Jones, George Landford, Duane Martin, Roland Meloche, Doris Merrill, Keith Merrill, Robert Mitchell, Delbert Mortensen, Edwin

Nichols, Rupert W. Oergel, Dale Phelps, Georgia Lee Shafer, Paul Shipley, Garth Skousen, Harry Slade, Harold Smith, Marvin Standage, Mildred Stewart, Karl Ulmer, Calvin Vance, William White, Doris Whited, Ronald Wimmir, Ruth Ebel, Wayne Masters, Louie Felton, Martin Swanty, Millie Boulden.





Junior Class Officers: Left to Right—Jane Haymore, Secretary; Dixie Dana, Vice President; Douglas Shephard, President.

The class of '49, under the leadership of its capable officers—Douglas Shephard, Dixie Dana and Jane Haymore—succeeded in making its junior year one never to be forgotten.

Eager to get started on the year's activities the students were loaded on hayracks, Friday, October 10. They reached their destination, six miles east of Mesa, at Double Knolls. After feasting on pop, hotdogs, potato chips and ice cream, a voluntary program was held. They arrived home tired but happy at the success of their party.

On November 13, the Gah Tso rally was held in back of the El Portal. The juniors lived up to their reputation by again walking off with first place honors for the most interesting float, originality and color.

Their second party was held January 28 in the gymnasium, where they enjoyed dancing to the smooth music of Walter Brown's orchestra. After an entertaining floor show refreshments were served.

The highlight of the year was the annual Junior-Senior Prom which was held in March with the beautiful theme of

Dear Rod,  
See you at Flag  
Be Good until then.  
Lot of Luck and  
Best Wishes  
Doug

# J u n i o r s

"Plantation Gardens." All who attended this lovely dance enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

The grand march was led by John Hamblin, senior class president and his partner. Approximately one hundred couples danced to music provided by Dean Pullins and his orchestra in the romantic atmosphere of the flower covered arbors, dim lights and the picturesque southern mansions.

An entertaining floor show was presented consisting of southern melodies played by Amy Jo McLaws, Jack Cathey singing "Beautiful Dreamer," and a tap dance by Carolyn Cox and Connie Brown to the tune of "Dinah." The floor show was concluded by a prize waltz which was won by Frank New and Aliene Sullivan. Wilford Crandall did a fine job as master of ceremonies.

The prom committee did an excellent job in carrying out the theme of the Old South. Much of the praise for the success of the dance goes to Forrest Cockrell, faculty advisor.

The 1948 junior class will long be remembered for their spirit, leadership, and sportsmanship. And now they are prepared to take up the reins as the seniors of 1949.

Row 1: Lorna Adams, Donald Allen, Venla Allen, Edna Appleton, Raymundo Armenta, Jean Arrington, Henry Arroyo, Joe Arvayo, Margie Asher



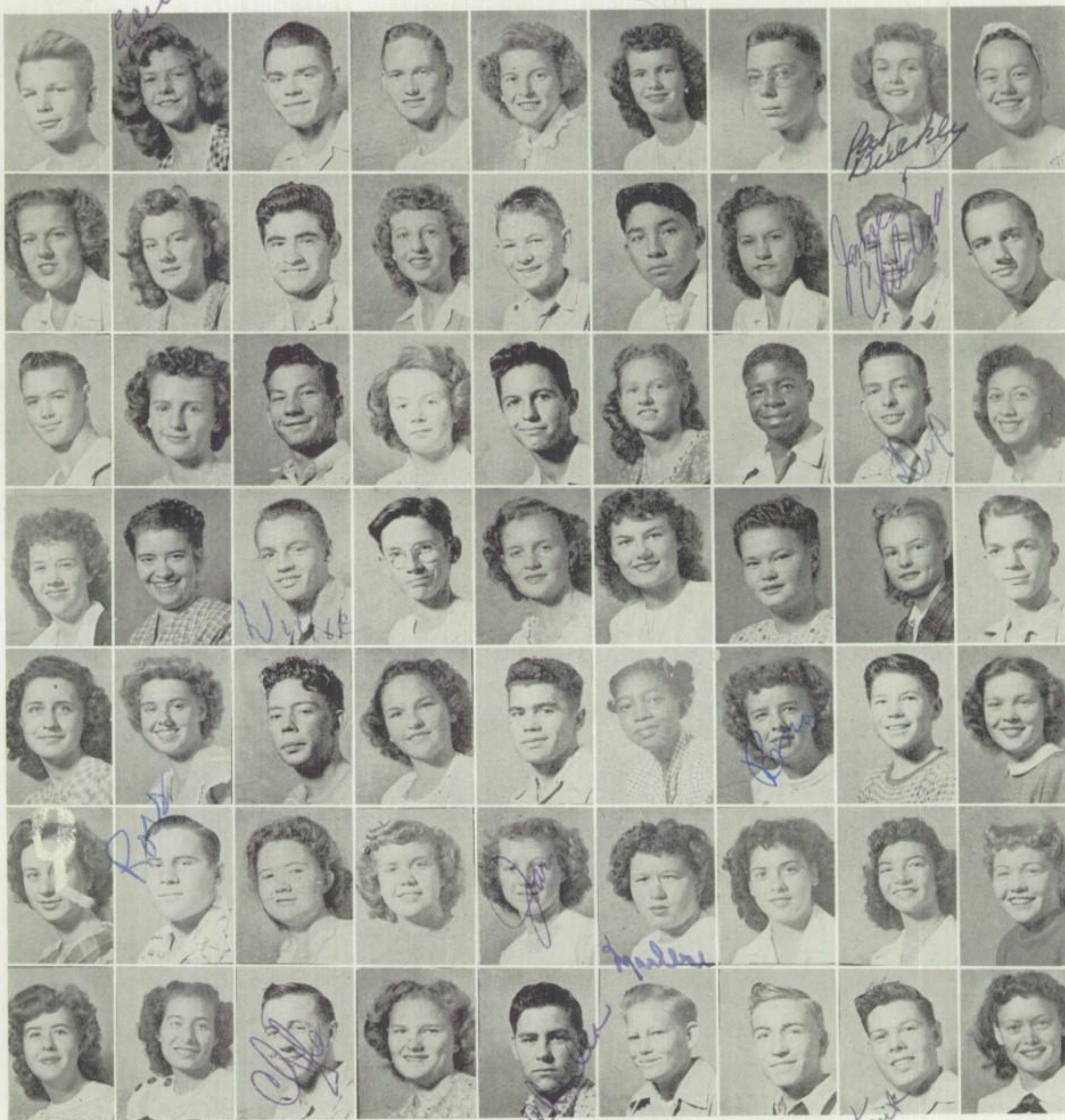


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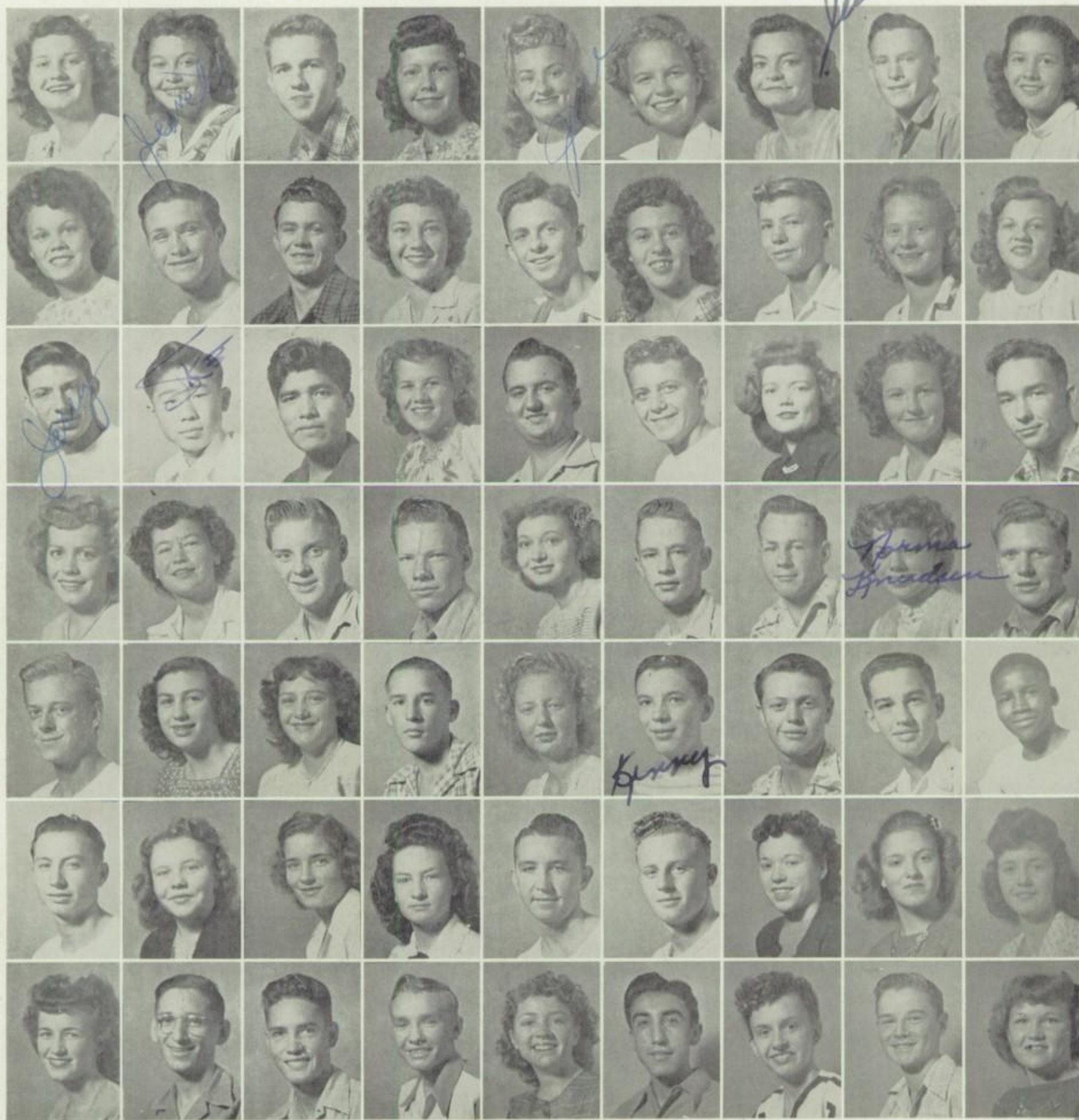


Row 1: Bill Baker, Hoyle Baker, Nancy Barkley, Shirley Barney, James Beckett, Bill Berkenkamp, Joanne Berry, June Bishop, Delbert Boley.

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 Row 2: Veda Casey, Verda Casey, Tony Castillo, Betty Chapman, Telford Chapman, Sid Chavez, Bonna Cheney, James Childers, Rod Christian.  
 Row 3: Dale Clarkson, Doris Clubb, Milford Cluff, Marianne Coffin, Jack Coggins, Audrey Coombs, Wallace Cook, Dix Coons, Sarah Cortez.  
 Row 4: Ilene Cox, Jane Cox, Wilford Crandall, Ernie Curtis, Joyce Curtis, Dixie Dana, Elladene Dana, Dolores Davies, John Dawson.  
 Row 5: Marjorie Dean, Eileen Demetri, Chad Denham, Jacquelyn DeRosier, Thurbert Dodge, Wilola Dyson, Rena Elder, Lynn Ellsworth, Sue Enloe.  
 Row 6: Naomi Faith, Ross Farnsworth, Bernae Flake, Marilyn Francis, Joan Franks, Marlene Freeman, Frances Gaglione, LaVonne Gilbert, Marie Goodman.  
 Row 7: Mary Lou Goodman, Nadine Gonzales, Clyde Gray, Patsy Gross, Charles Grutzmacher, Lorin Guthrie, Bruce Hancock, Kent Hancock, Patsy Hancock.







Row 1: Bonnie Harding, Jeanette Harmon, Jim Harris, Bonnie Hathcock, Jane Haymore, Sarah Hazen, Jeanette Hemphill, Ronnie Heward, Neil Heywood.  
 Row 2: Sherlene Heywood, Norman Higgins, Chester Hines, Melva Holt, Don Horn, Joyce Huber, Talmage Huber, Mariana Huish, Marjorie Hunt.  
 Row 3: Jerry Human, Masumi Ikeda, Blinden Jackson, Bobby James, Tom James, Ralph Jenny, Jolene Jensen, Martha Jewell, Hugh Johnson.  
 Row 4: Verba Johnston, Arlene Judkins, Russell Kear, Don Keller, Neva Kerby, Leslie King, Wayne Kleinman, Norma Knudsen, James Kuhens.  
 Row 5: Andre Lamoreaux, Lois Lancaster, Yvonne Lancaster, Eddie Lane, Lora Ellen LaRue, Kenneth Latham, Tillman Lawrence, Richard Lobdatter, Millian Lee.  
 Row 6: Thyrl Lisonbee, Bernadene Lords, Rachel Ann Love, Betty McAfee, Kenneth McCleve, Don McClintock, Lillian McLellan, Betty McMurray, Mickey Macias.  
 Row 7: Jo Anne Manlove, Irvin Markovitz, Don Marksbury, Stuart Martens, Alice Martin, James Martinez, Peggy Matlock, Lloyd Mercer, Gay Merrill.

Row 1: Melva Merrill, Jim Miller, Richard Miller, Irene Millet, Paul Mitchell, Kathleen Moore, Gordon Morris, Betty Mortensen, Jack Naegle.



*Jeanette*

*Norma Knudsen*

*Kenneth*

*Good heavens what is this me?*

*Is it me?*



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Row 1: Peter Nelson, Frank New, Betty E. Newman, Lilly Nichols, Marvel Nichols, Mary Helen Nowell, Betty L. Owens, Peggy Page, Elinor Mae Palmer.

Row 1: LeRoy Peel, Juanita Perez, David Peterson, Marjorie Petersen, Glenn Peterson, Shirley Peterson, Billy Pickens, Frankie Pina, Mary Delores Pena.

Row 2: Ted Poole, Joanne Popin, Don Quigley, Grant Randall, Bill Rankin, Demar Ray, Georgia Myrle Ray, Ned Reed.

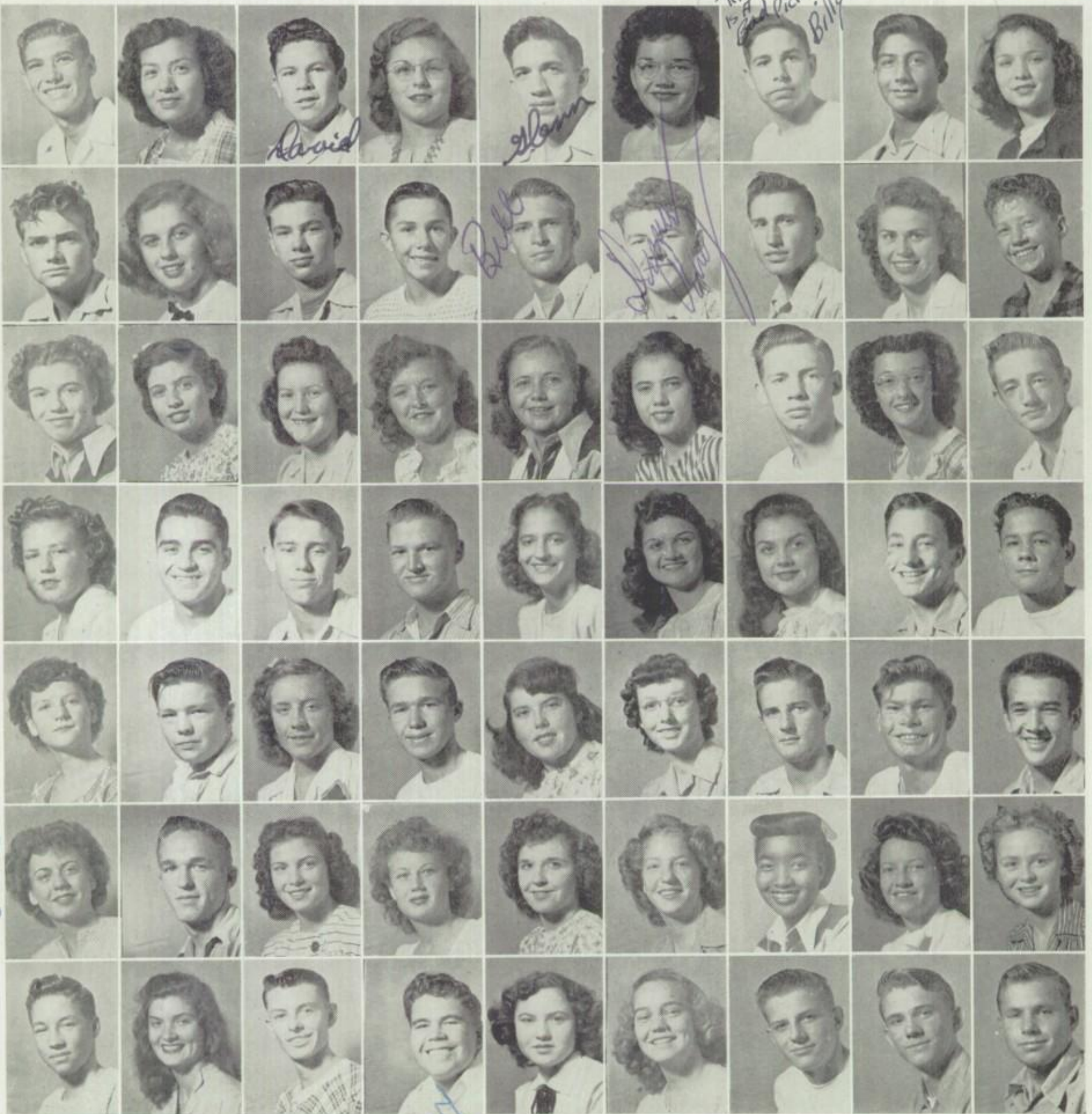
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Row 4: Nelda Rogers, David Saba, Gerald Sanders, Herbert R. Sargent, Thora Scott, Leona Shoffner, Wyola Shoffner, Douglas Shepherd, Quinton Shill.

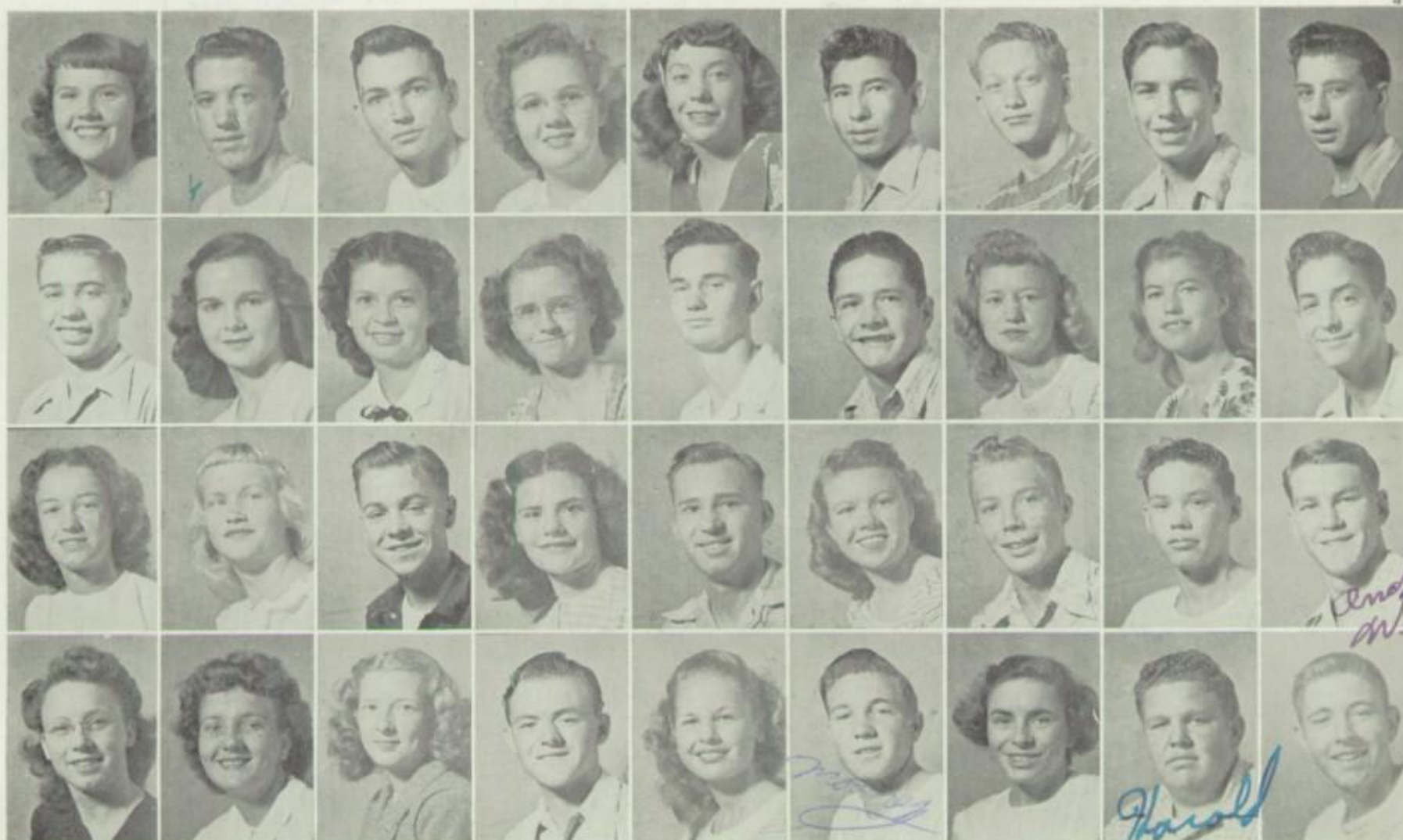
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Row 6: Carol Standage, Ross Standage, Dolores Stansberry, Donna Stapley, Luella Stapley, Anna Mae Stephens, Jean Stephens, Jeannine Slade, Antoinette Streit.

Row 7: Ray Sturdivant, Aline Sullivan, Larry Sweat, Jerry Taylor, Darlene Thomas, Darlene Thompson, George Tayrien, Jack Tayrien, Ned Tiffany.







Row 1: Francis Townsend, Gene Tschumi, Clair Turley, Donna Turley, Loralna Udall, Frank Valenzuela, Earl Vance, Reed Vance, Frank Van Dyne.  
 Row 2: George Van Liew, Audree Voss, Bonnie Walker, Joan Walter, Lee Webb, Glenn West, Gladys Weston, Tessie Weston, Bryon White.  
 Row 3: Mary White, Anna Whited, Jack Whitworth, Barbara Whitman, Bob Willis, Carol Willis, Gail Willis, Loren Willis, Andrew Williams.  
 Row 4: Peggy Wilkerson, Betty Wilson, Doris Wood, Leo Wood, Barbara Wright, Floyd Wright, Jenny Wright, Harold Young, Ronald Matthews.

Dear Rod  
 The Best  
 of Luck to you  
 in the year to  
 come  
 Kente Hancock  
 47-48

## Juniors Not Pictured

Beulah Jo Anderson, Charlote Beward, Keith Brooks, Alice Ceschin, Donald Clement, Wallace Cook, Timothy De-bouse, Yvonne Gale, Earl Arlen Gildehous, Marcellin Jones, Pat Majerus, Frances Martibary, Kenneth Overson, James

Stewart, Bonnie Stradling, Lathelan Stock, Virginia Turner, Keith Davis, Colleen Davis, Robert Walden, Dawn Bunting, Rowan Wade, Billy Peterson, Patricia Fahy.

Dear Rod  
 I wish you all  
 the luck and  
 success in the world I  
 need glow because I  
 know you will need it.

Dear Rod  
 I wish you all  
 the luck and  
 success in the world I  
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Sophomore Class Officers: Left to Right—Mary Ann Gaglione, Secretary; Owen D. Skousen, President; Nola Rae Elder, Vice President.

Sophies! You passed through the growing up stage of your freshman days without many serious mishaps. So this year knowing your way around you participated in all school activities with a proud smile knowing you wouldn't be called "Freshies" every time you turned around. That gave you confidence to make this, your second year at Mesa High, a most successful one.

Under the leadership of your competent class officers Darrell Skousen, Nola Rae Elder, Mary Ann Gaglione and the class sponsor Warren Wells, the sophomores have come forth with three very successful parties.

First was a "Hobo Party" where everyone wore his oldest and most ragged clothes and had a hilariously good

time. It was held in the gymnasium where the music of Jack Wright's orchestra and refreshments to suit the occasion helped to make it one of the most enjoyable parties. Elaine Rowley and Clyde Farr won the prizes for being the tackiest girl and boy at the party.

Then in March came the annual Freshman and Sophomore Hop held the Monday after the Prom. The Prom decorations helped to make it the nicest party of the sophomore year, everyone danced his feet off.

The last party was a hayrack party held on Friday, March 5. Group singing and bonfire readings made a very pleasant atmosphere out on the desert. All who attended the party had a wonderful time.

Row 1: Billy Adair, Bobby Adair, Willa Adams, Dwayne Alexander, Karl Allen, Iva Jean Allred, Ronald Ambler, Lyneer Andersen, Patricia Anderson.

Row 2: Evangeline Armenta, Joe Armistead, Kenneth Armstrong, Blas Arriaga, Eddie Arrington, Dwayne Arrowsmith, Betty Asher, Kenneth Austin, Mabel Austin.



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Dear Rod,  
I hope to  
see you around  
next year around  
Blas Arriaga

Rodrick (B.A.)  
I hope next  
year I have a  
can so I can  
show you and  
blow up  
of course  
that wouldn't  
be hard  
Lots of luck  
for

Dear Rod,  
I wish you the  
best of luck and  
hope to see you  
around next year  
Dean





Row 1: Bill Bailey, Margarite Baker, James Barnes, Cheryl Beals, Delbert Beebe, Frank Beltran, Russell Bendure, Pauline Bollinger, Donna Lou Bond.

Row 2: OraBeth Bond, Bob Bowden, Larry Bowers, Wayne Brian, Connie Brown, Larry Bryan, Mitzi Buckley, Belva Bunch, Wanda Carlisle.

Row 3: Frieda Charles, Richard Clayton, Jim Click, Bob Clouse, Leona Coates, Jim Cockrell, Albert Coleman, Wayne Coleman, Dean Conrad.

Row 4: Raymond Coombs, Doris Cooper, Carolyn Cox, Wayne Crandall, Helen Crofford, Betty Jane Cudahy, Nelson Curtis, Evangeline Davis, Heber Davis.

Row 5: Howard Davis, Wayne Davis, Donald Dawson, John Della Morte, Dorene Denham, Stanley Duke, Marilyn Edwards, Nola Rae Elder, Alice Mae Ellis.

Row 6: Roland Ellsworth, Martha Ellsworth, Melva Ellsworth, Ernest Farley, Barbara Farr, Clyde Farr, Billie Jo Featherstone, Doris Fension, Dona Feezor.

Row 7: Janice Ferrin, Beatrice Figueroa, Barbara Fitzer, Karl Fletcher, Patsy Fonville, Ellouise Franklin, Sam Franks, Nathaniel Frelux, Lawrence Freeman.

Row 8: Vonetta Fritch, Jerry Frost, Hazel Fuller, Mary Ann Gaglione, Carlos Garcia, Richard Gardner, Marvin Gilbert, Georgia Giragi, Louis Glazier.



Row 1: Alex Gonzales, Lena Gylling, Charles Haas, Russell Hall, Lloyd Halverson, Robert Harder, Nita Jo Harmon, Norman Harmon, Rosemary Harris.

Row 2: Sue Hartnick, Doris Hatt, Max Hawkins, Elaine Haws, Colleen Heiner, Newell Heywood, Erma Hill, Doris Hines, Richard Hodson.

Row 3: John Hogle, Lewis Horne, Patsy Hostetter, Jack Huffaker, Eileen Hutmacher, Louis Jackson, Theora Jarvis, Vilora Jarvis, Mae Jennings.

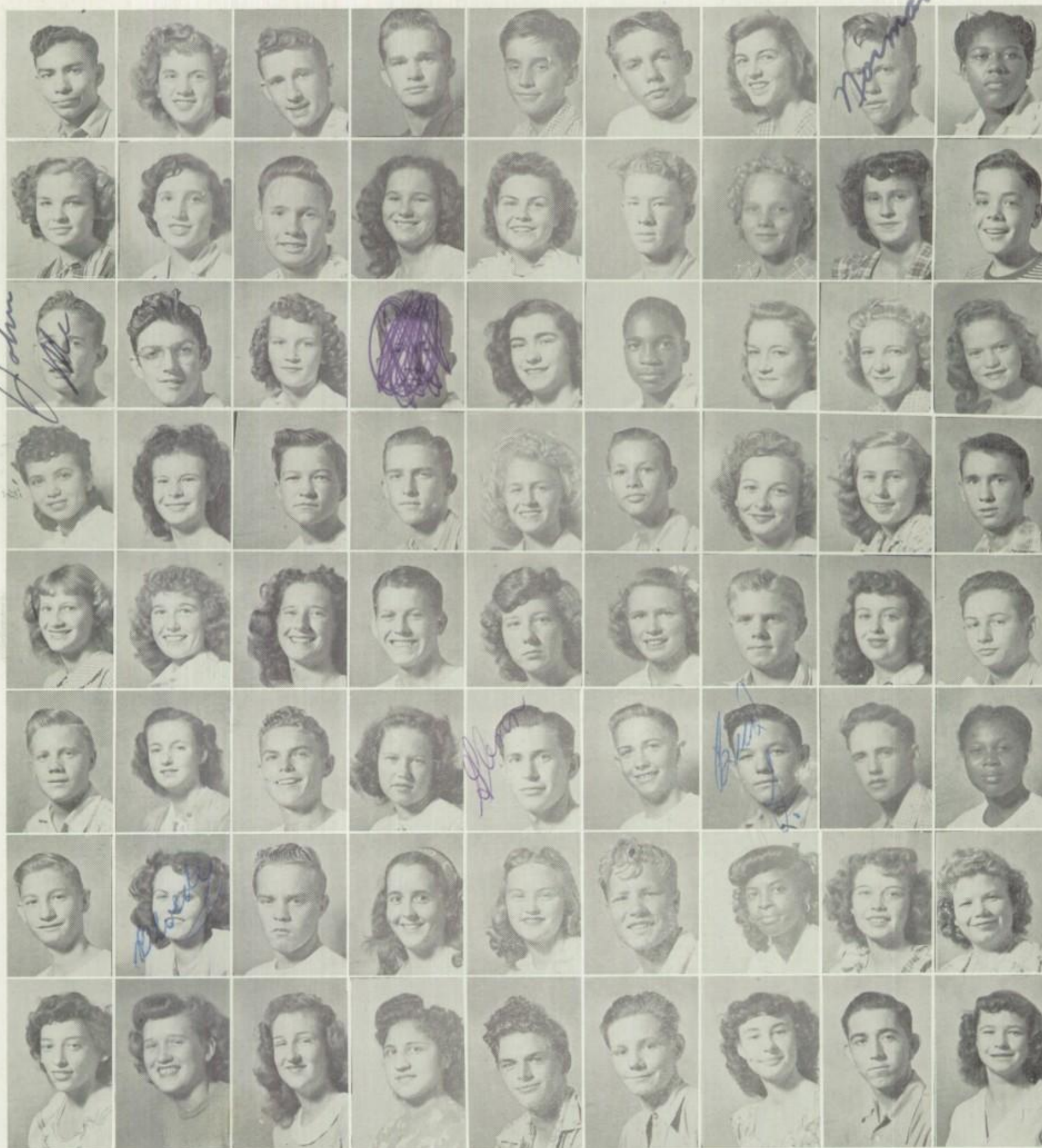
Row 4: Concha Jiminez, Betty Ann Johnson, Don Johnson, Donald Johnson, Eva Sue Johnson, Lee Johnson, Louise Johnson, Barbara Jones, Gene Jones.

Row 5: Barbara Kelly, Shirley King, Willamina King, Paul Kirkland, Lila Kleinman, Ruth Kleinman, Wendell Knudsen, Billie Jo Kramer, Platt La Comb.

Row 6: Elton Lambson, Joan Lang, Dean Larson, Cora La Rue, Glen Law, Milo Le Baron, Daniel Leonard, Don La Grand, Martha Lewis.

Row 7: Gary Lines, Beverly Lindley, Jerry Little, Ann Long, Barbara Lorillard, Frank Luster, Ethel Magett, Juanita Magnusson, Esther Manning.

Row 8: Sylvia Markovitz, Lu Dean Martin, Lillian Martineau, Juanita Martinez, Jimmy Massey, Eugene Maybeg, Rosalee Maxwell, Al Mendivil, Elizabeth Miller.







Row 1: Peggy Miller, Eugene Millett, Neil Mitchell, Brookie Mitten, Jo Ann Moody, Betty Moore, Zelza Morris, Norman Morse, Arlene Mortensen.

Row 2: Ethel Mortensen, Le Roy Mortensen, Joyce Mosher, Clyde Motes, Rosa McElhaney, Josephine McDougall, Dale McLaws, Carole McPhee, John Narretto.

Row 3: Anita Nava, Janice Neill, Raymond Nicholson, Joyce Nicoll, LaVern North, June O'Barr, Melva Lee O'Donnal, Tomie Okazaki, Peggy Joyce Oliver.

Row 4: Helen Ong, John Ong, Lois Patterson, Carol Jean Pearce, Rosalva Pena, Carroll Pennington, Jim Pickrel, Pat Pomeroy, Frank Pond.

Row 5: Rogers Poole, Marilyn Porter, Doris Posey, Helen Powell, Sharon Powell, Ronald Randall, Charlane Ray, Glen Ray, Elnora Reeves.

Row 6: Derril Richardson, Howard Roberts, Howard Robertson, Ronald Robinson, Gilbert Roseberry, Elaine Rowley, Maxine Rowley, Rita Ruiz, Ray Russell.

Row 7: Jerry Sargent, Kay Schofield, Warren Schofield, Jack Schneff, Mildred Scott, Gordon Shumway, Don Silvis, Dolores Sigola, Dewane Simpson.

Row 8: Billy Skousen, Owen Skousen, Laverla Slade, Audrey Smith, Darrell Smith, Delta Smith, Peggy Ann Smith, Anne Sorenson, Delbert Standage.





Row 1: Vada Starks, Mary Steiner, Carolyn Strohmeier, Josephine Tacho, Asael Taylor, Darrel Taylor, Marietta Thomas, Christine Thompson, Ten Tom.

Row 2: Darla Mae Tryon, Clyde Tucker, Nedna Tueller, Carl Turley, Eleanor Unnewehr, Everett Underwood, Pauline Upton, Sally Upton, Norma Urrea.

Row 3: Lydia Valdez, Lawrence Vance, Dean Vickery, Catherine Viaco, Mark Wall, Jim Warden, Joyce Wellington, Leon Weston, Edward White.

Row 4: Robert Willhort, Bettie Williams, Richard Williams, Floyd Willis, Bobbie Lou Wright, Roberta Wright, Ella Mae Young.

## Sophomores Not Pictured

Mary Helen Arnott, June Bigelow, Patricial Brown, Darrell Buntin, Lois Burnham, Ruth Buwaldo, Samuel A. Cain, Clarabella Chase, Betty Jean Clare, Doris Crandell, Nadell Des, Lois Douth, Gilbert Duthie, Dale Esplin, Jose Escobedo, Anita Ritchie, Geraldine Gregory, Jane Girtierrez, Don A. Honty, Noris Howe, Oriso Howe, Grant Hubbard, Richard Hunter, Beverly Kelly, Louis Lane, Beverly Lanoue, Charles Mahaffey, Eleanor Matyposhi, Norman E. Morse, Rachel

Morse, Guy Nix, Gale Penrod, Richard Porter, Doris Jean Pasey, Frances Risley, Harry B. Reed, Zen Richins, Richard Ruiz, NaDeen Schaat, Sue Sellers, Sabro Sckiya, Kenneth Simpson, Wayne Thomson, Dick Tomson, Jr., Carlos Whetten, Wilber Wright, Verne Dell West, Everette Wright, Lois Evans, Mildred Ann Daggett, Larrel Wilson, C. S. Arthur, Lorraine Kolosofsky, Dona Mae Lovett, Tyra Bergeson, Mary McDonald, Raydean Christensen, Eleanor Masters.

Dear Dad  
It's sure  
been swell knowing  
you for the past years  
for your love  
this looks like  
a swell gift to me  
lots of love  
Stamley  
Morse  
You're wonderful  
you lots of  
luck in the  
future years  
Love  
Chad  
Ray





Freshman Class Officers: Left to Right—Norman Calhoun, President, Helen Fuller, Secretary; Keith Standage, Vice President.

# F r e s h m e n

Well, the first year at Mesa High School has finally drawn to a close. Being freshman was really fun even if they weren't the "big shots" of the school.

Under the supervision of the sponsor, Mrs. Margaret Heywood, and the class officers, Norman, Keith and Helen, the freshmen have had three very successful parties.

The first, a desert party was held at double knolls. Everyone who attended had a very nice time, singing, eating and listening to the program.

The next party was a barn dance in the gym. Dancing and playing of games were enjoyed by all.

The third party was another desert picnic held in the

spring. The big moon helped make the party a success.

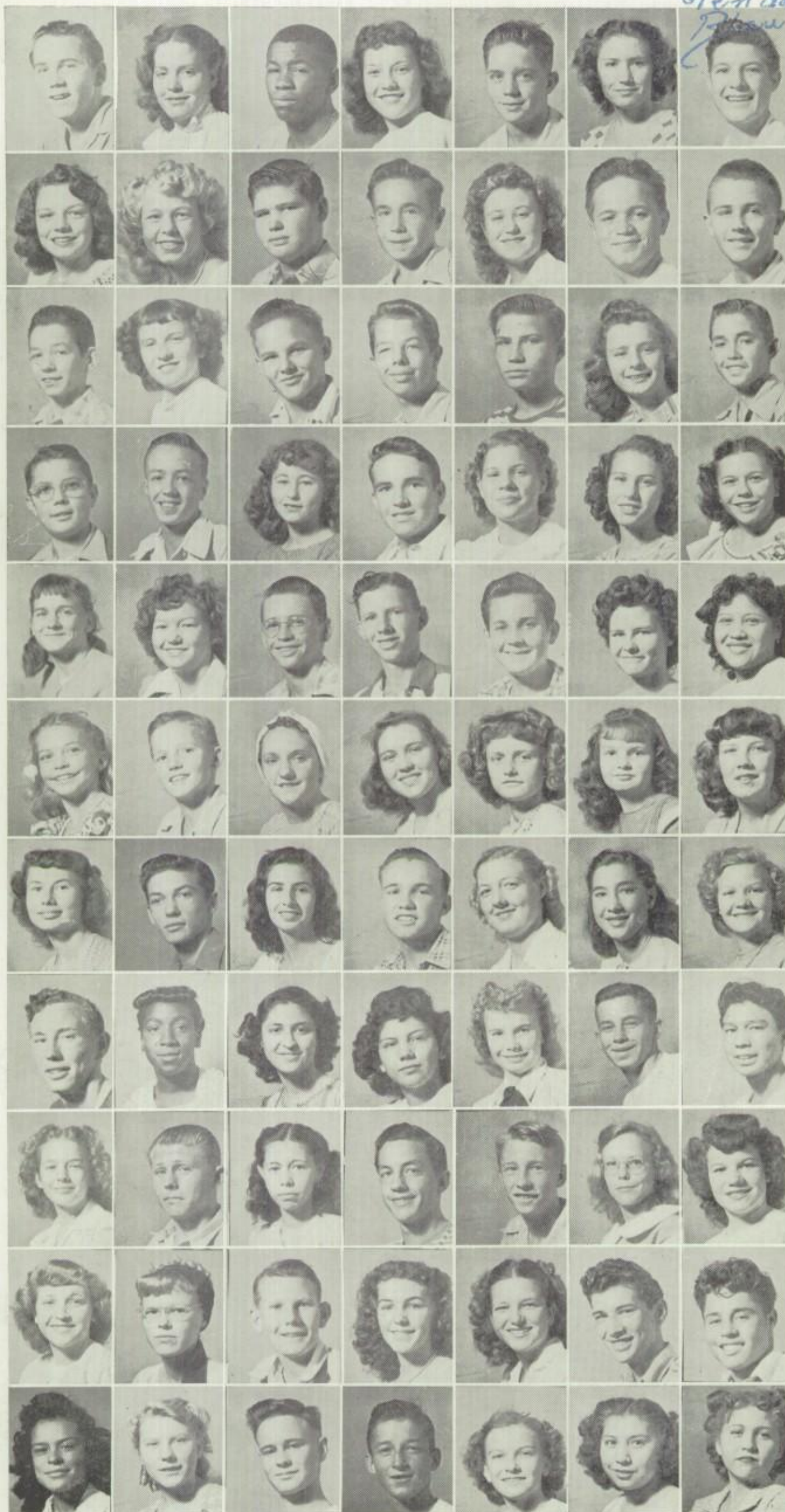
The Sophomores entertained the freshman at the annual Freshman and Sophomore Hop. The dancing and games were enjoyed by everyone. But the freshmen have really enjoyed being "Freshies" although they are looking forward to being sophomores next year.

They know their way around now, and with prospects of being in "the middle of the puddle" in every activity next year, they are beaming with confidence. They say, "watch us step out from now on—in athletics, in dramatics, in social activities, yes, and in scholarship we're going to strive to be worthy leaders at Mesa High for the next three years."

Row 1: Wana Adair, John Allen, J. Mel Allen, Kenith Allen, Ann Allfed, Larrin Allschwager, Bonnie Allum, Phyllis Altman, Erbele Ardella.  
Row 2: Gloria Armenta, Bill Arndt, Denzil Arrington, Margaret Arriaga, Angela Arvayo, Kenneth Bailey, Bertha Louise Baker, Louise Baker, Naomi Ball.







Row 1: Darrell Barber, Mary Esta Barnes, Donald Beasley, Irene Bendure, Jackie Betterton, Lily Bigelow, Glendon Blau.

Row 2: Aline Boister, Hannah Boulden, Glen Bowers, Bob Bradfield, Martha Brian, Rae Brimhall, Thomas Brinkerhoff.

Row 3: Blaine Brimley, Donna Brinton, Brian Brown, Manford Brown, Herbert Bryce, Ann Marie Buchsbaum, Arthur Buckley.

Row 4: William Bullis, Bill Burden, Darral Bush, Norman Calhoun, Marilyn Cardon, Bessie Carpenter, Darlene Carroll.

Row 5: Geraldine Casler, Dortha Clements, Wallace Coates, Moses Cobb, Jesse Comer, Bonnie Cook, Mercy Cortez.

Row 6: Anita Cox, Don Crandall, Gail Crandall, Janice Cummins, Dee Dee Curtis, LeAnn Dana, Marjorie Dana.

Row 7: Joan Davis, Charles Dawson, Elivera Del Castillo, Eugene Dobbins, Virginia Drorbough, Anna Dutcher, Darlene Dutcher.

Row 8: George Dutcher, Della Mae Ellis, Carmen Escobedo, Della Ezcurra, Helen Fancher, Paul Felton, Steven Fernandez.

Row 9: Geraldine Finley, Boyce Fish, Olga Mae Flores, Carrol Fogle, Charles Forbes, Susie Forsee, Dixie Freeman.

Row 10: Garlo Freestone, Helen Fuller, Judd Fuller, Lucille Fuller, Vernita Furr, Joseph Gaglione, Rudy Garcia.

Row 11: Armida Garcia, Theresa Gardner, Gerald Giese, Kenneth Gilbert, Donna Goehrig, Stella Gomez, Arlene Goodman.



Row 1: Bob Goodman, Frank Goodman, Ruby Goodman, Frank Green, Jimmie Haggard, Ernest Halliday.

Row 2: Dale Hamblin, Dixie Lee Hancock, Veon Hansen, Eddie Harmon, Sophie Haro, Darrel Harper, Dean Harper.

Row 3: Joan Harrelson, Margie Hartley, Leona Hathcock, Ruth Haws, Grant Haymore, Vernie Henson, Richard Heywood.

Row 4: Roy Lee Hill, Gail Hilton, Edwin Hodge, Beverly Hodson, Harold Hodson, Bobbie Lee Holly, Bille Horne.

Row 5: Alma Holt, Lee Huber, Shirley Huff, Darilynne Huffaker, Denny Hunsaker, Norma Hunsaker, Walter Lee Hunsaker.

Row 6: Harold Isley, Vivian Jackson, Rose Jagiolka, Paul James, John Jarvis, Silvina Jimenez, Larry Johnson.

Row 7: Mauna Johnson, Myron Johnson, Phillip Johnson, William Johnson, Coy Johnston, Harry Jones, Melvin Jones.

Row 8: Carol Jean Jones, Jo Anne Julian, Marilyn Kent, Maria Keyser, Janice Koons, Ella Mae Lamb, Bobby Lois Langford.

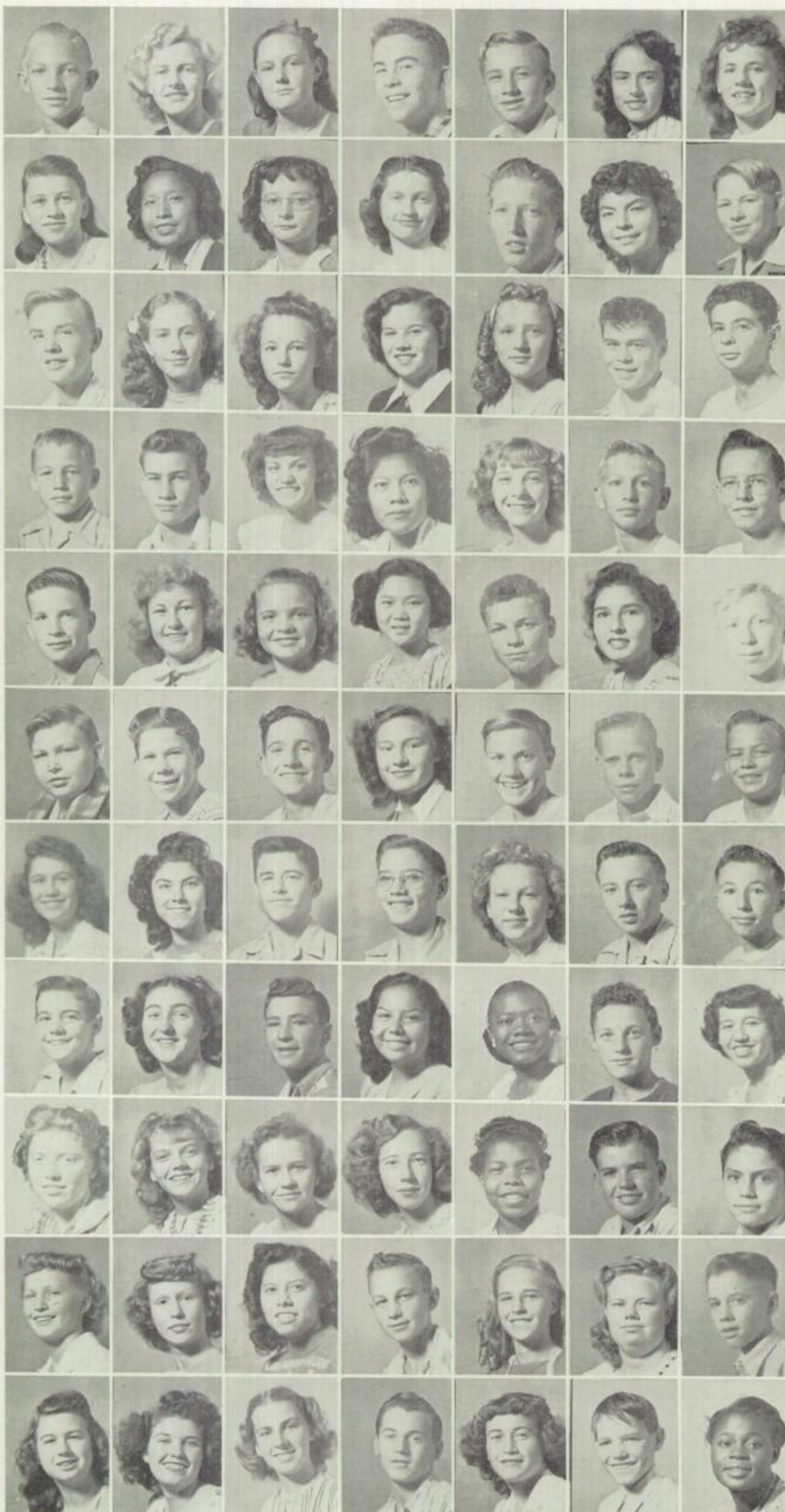
Row 9: Douglas Langford, Flora Langford, Donald Lancaster, La Rue Lawrence, Barbara Leavitt, Jo Ann Leavitt, Ernest Lee.

Row 10: Sondra Levelle, Donna Lewis, Billy Libhart, Lois Jean Lowe, Gene McClanahan, Marian McLeod, Clarene McPherson.

Row 11: Joe Macias, Richard Mader, Bessie Magnusson, Gary Mahaffey, Bernice Markovitz, Bruce Martins, Daryl Martin.







Row 1: Kenneth Martin, Margaret Mothershed, Margaret Mayhugh, Mark Meldrum, Paul Merkel, Elaine Merrill, Earlene Merrill.

Row 2: Iris Merrill, Ethelene Miles, Ann Miller, Lois Millett, Val Millett, Nellie Meranda, Loren Mitchell.

Row 3: Merlin Mitchell, Verdie Moody, Billie Ann Moore, Jackie Morgan, Neomi Mortensen, Joe Moss, Joe Mouri.

Row 4: Kent Mulleneaux, Charles Myers, Augustina Narretta, Inez Nelson, Beverly Nichols, Dale Nichols, Donald Nicoll.

Row 5: Kenneth Nicholl, Barbara Oates, Sarah Ann O'Donnal, Ana Ong, Ralph Opie, Lily Pagan, William Parson.

Row 6: Ronald Perkins, Nolon Peterson, Gerald Pew, Betty Pickens, William Pittman, Vern Plumb, Dean Porter.

Row 7: Doris Posey, Carolina Quijada, Manuel Reames, George Reese, Evelyn Reidhead, Charles Reiland, Marston Richards.

Row 8: Melvin Richins, Lou Ella Riddle, R. J. Riddle, Connie Rivas, Vessie Lee Roberts, Bob Robinsen, Sally Robles.

Row 9: Delcena Robson, Audry Rodney, Joyce Rogers, Florine Ross, Lois Rowe, Melvin Rowley, Albert L. Ruiz.

Row 10: Billie Russell, Melva Ryan, Mary Lou Santa Cruz, Don Sargent, Ina Scott, Dorothy Silby, Lamar Shill.

Row 11: Mildred Shorey, Rita Siebert, Sonia Siessmuyer, Don Sires, Velma Skousen, Alfred Smith, Catherine Marie Smith.



Row 1: Jay Smith, Dale Sneed, Dick Solomon, Joe Spracale, Jim Springer, Joan Stallings, Keith Standage.

Row 2: Grant Stapley, Inez Stapley, Donna Steffey, Alice Stephens, Fay Stephens, Betty Jo Stokes, George Stuckman.

Row 3: Jim Stuckman, Lodenna Sturdivant, Carl Taylor, Tom Taylor, Edward Tenney, Audrey Thomas, Evelyn Thomas.

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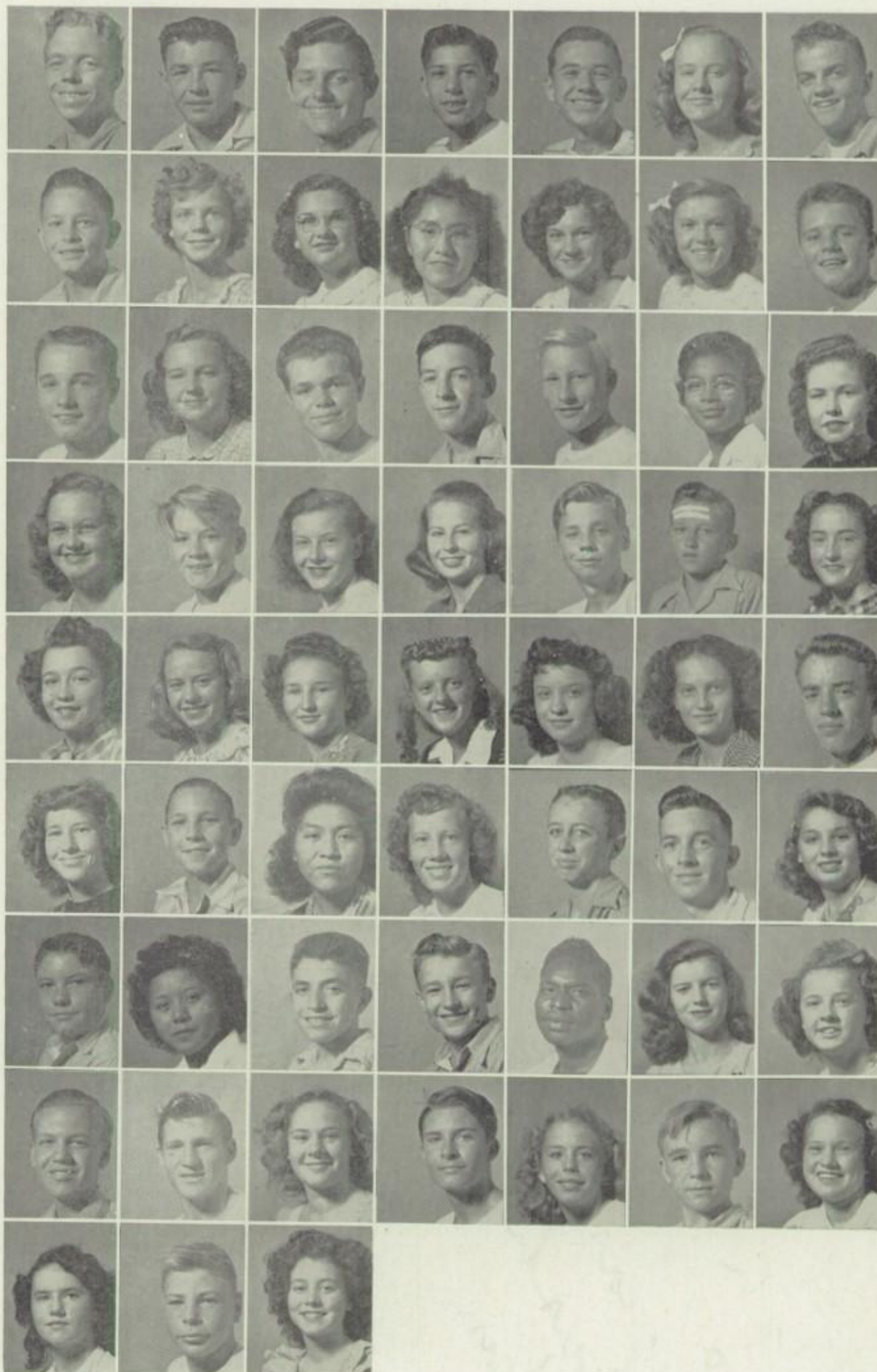
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Row 6: Betty Jo Vance, Harold Varner, Verma D. West, Evanell Wade, Wayne Walters, Leroy Ward, Pauline Watkins.

Row 7: Marvin Webb, Thurzo Wellington, Anthony Wells, Corwin West, Kermit West, Vera Weston, Helen Whaley.

Row 8: Jack White, Kenneth White, Shirley Whitman, Melvin Williams, Patricia Willis, Lavar Wilkins, Patsy Wilson.

Row 9: Leota Winn, Ronald Wood, Vivian Wooford.



## *Freshmen Not Pictured*

Joyce Brase, William Bullis, Leslie Chandler, Vein Cochran, Fred Curtis, Barbara Dagger, Ludene Dees, Audrey Douth, Jane Evans, June Evans, Donald Garchow, Lee Greene, William Hawley, Jimmy Haggard, Lois Jean, Joyce Johnson, Alice Joseph, Sandra King, Jame Kinbach, Douglas

Musick, Arille J. Parker, Don Robinson, Marilyn Taylor, Genna Lee Tayrian, Keith Wendt, Mary Wendt, Percy Wood, Jackie Wright, Raymond Wizeberley, Elaine Wages, Sue Thude, John Daggett, Eleanor Masters, Mary Wendt, Barbara Dugger, Ann Brown, Dale Blehm, Roland Coulombe.





Of great service to the school is the Audio Visual Staff.

**Back Row:** Ray Smith, Grant Randall, Glenn Peterson, Franklin Gibson, Mr. Feeney, Harry Newell, Garth Skousen, Bill Rankin.

**Second Row:** Bill Patterson, Kent Hilton, Bruce Thompson, Bill Workman, Chester Hines, Floyd Judd.

**Front Row:** Pete Chase, Roy McClellan, Rod Christian, Bill Glazier, Charles Grutzmacher, Dan Russell, Bill Asher.



Careful there Lola! That machine has lots of power.

**Standing:** Louis Crandall. **Seated,** in the front: Mr. Branch and Lola Gylling. **Watching from the back:** Morris Rollins.

## Special Classes That Serve the School

Our Audio Visual department is under the guidance of Francis Feeney, who has had considerable experience along this line. Mr. Feeney has to have people who are dependable, and who can carry the responsibilities that come with such a task. Therefore all students must be hand picked for the job.

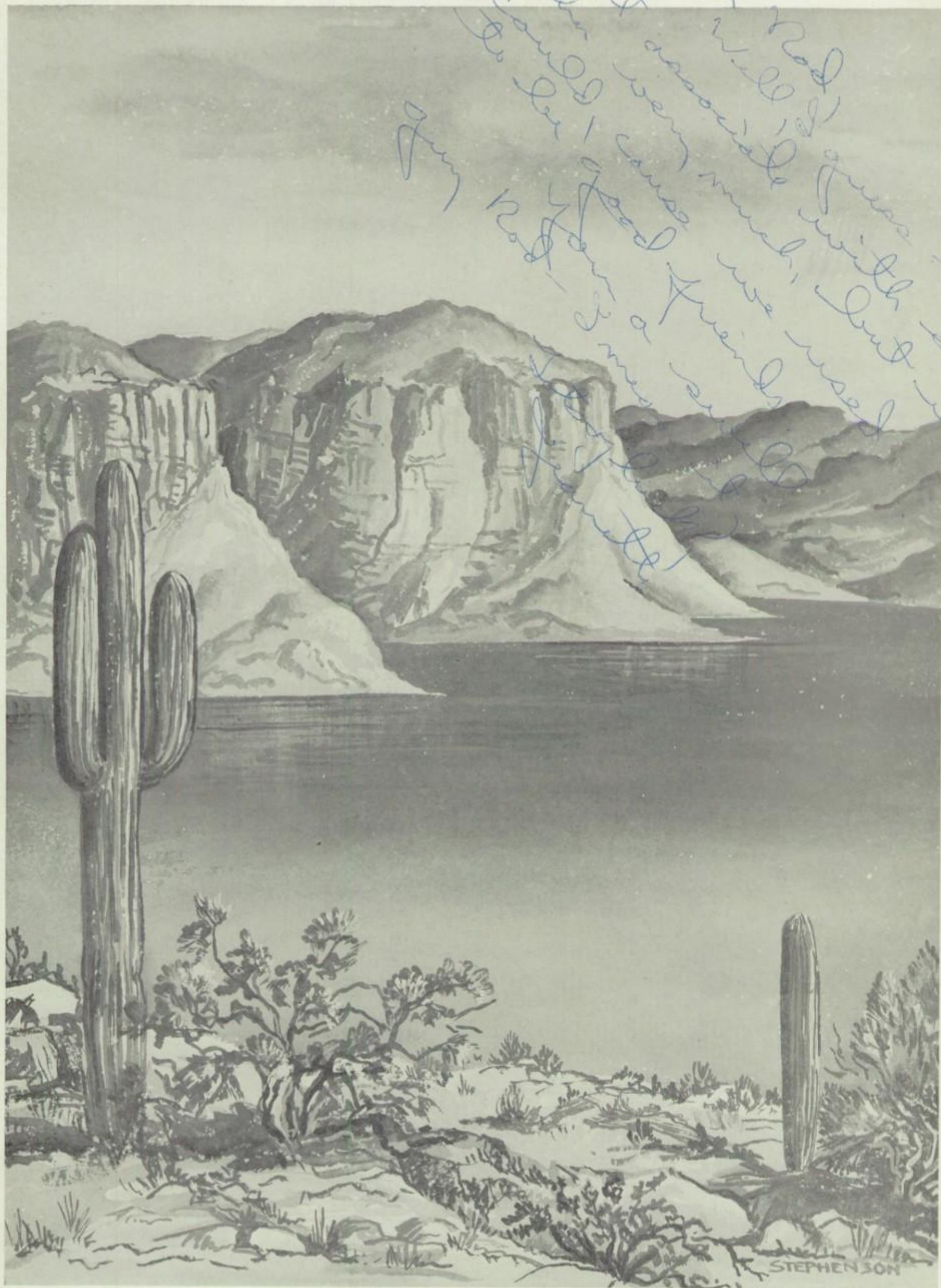
There are usually four or five students in each period, and all must be familiar with the equipment. They must be able to quickly detect and solve any problem or emergency that may arise while projecting a picture or when using some of the other equipment. Practical experience is

gained not only with motion pictures, but also with opaque and overhead projectors, film strips, and the public address system.

The driver-training program has been very popular and worked very successfully under the direction of Arland Branch, instructor. This program was inaugurated last November and has helped many students to learn to drive under proper instruction. The 1947 dual-control Ford sedan was presented to Mesa High by R. C. Smiley of Smiley's Motors. At the end of the first semester the car had been driven a total of 1159 miles by students.



Dear Ned  
I have just  
received your  
letter of the 1st  
inst. and am  
glad to hear  
that you are  
well. I am  
also well and  
hope this  
letter will find  
you the same.  
I am writing  
you a few lines  
to let you know  
that I am still  
alive and well.  
I am not  
writing you  
often but I  
am always  
thinking of  
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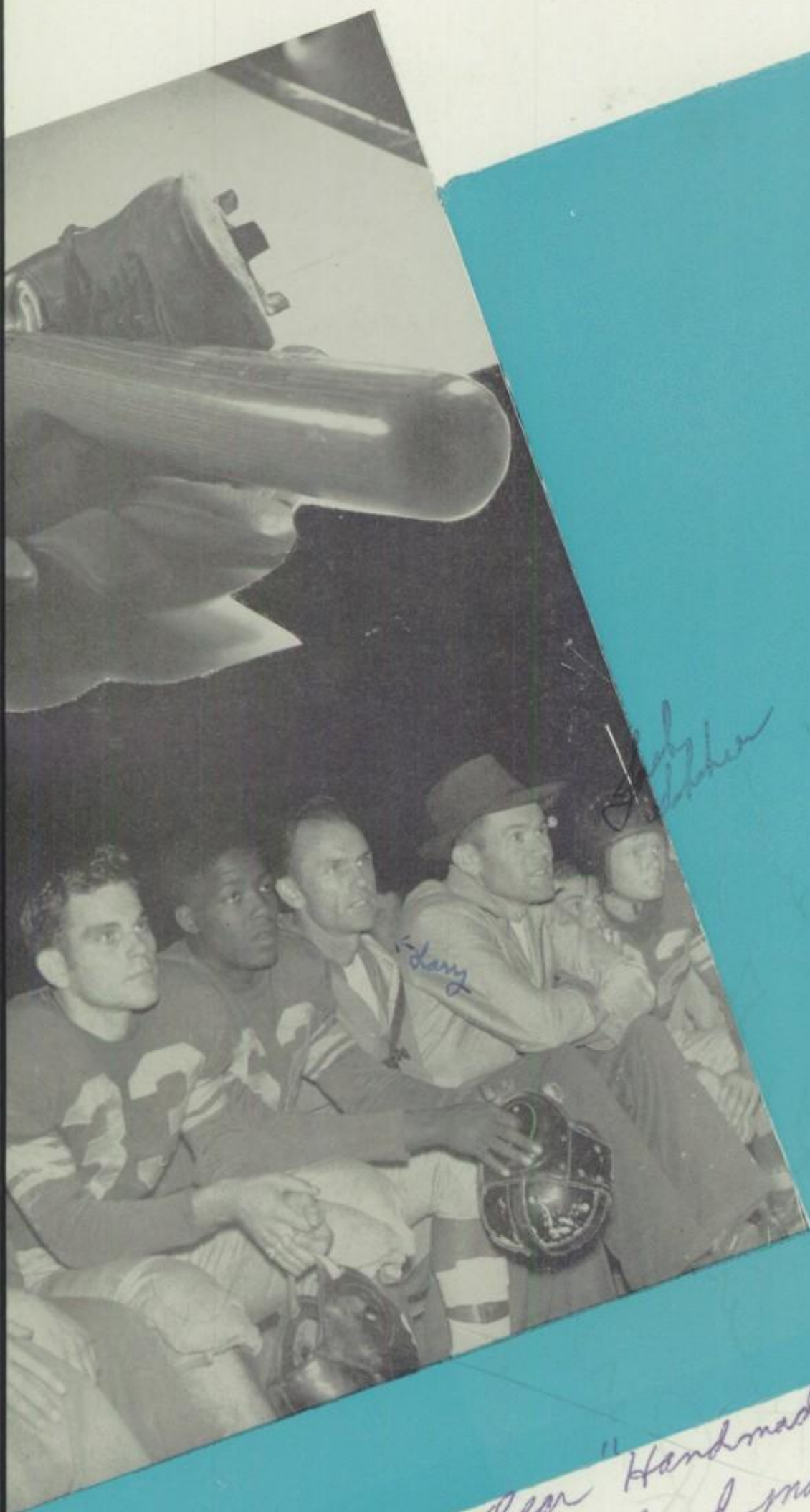




As the smallest of rain drops can fill a large dam  
To help with the nourishment of our thriving land,  
So a school team plays hard in a game  
In hopes of winning honors and outstanding fame.  
As rain can form lakes, their team work is keen;  
Their fair play has sparkle, their sportsmanship sheen.  
For as long as you search, you never will find  
Good sports such as these that make cooperation shine!







Dear "Handmade" Christian  
 well hand made maybe we can play  
 football together next year I hope so.  
 You better quite using the brand and use  
 those ~~the~~ stump broke cups &  
 pipe.

a friend  
 Clyde





Jo Ed Moss, Lena Gylling, Mark Meldrum, Venla Allen

## *"Fight, Mesa, Fight"*

Highlighting this year's athletic events was the state football crown won by the Mesa Jackrabbits. There were many close calls but we won ten and tied one to have the first undefeated season on Mesa High's record. The whole student body turned out for the big parade, honoring the state champs, and for the eats out on the football field. Everyone also enjoyed the mid-afternoon dance in the gym after they had their share of food.

Next in line came basketball. The Jackrabbits won the first state consolation title on their records when they won that title in both the District and State Tournament. Although the season was uneventful, we won sixteen and lost eight games.

Last year the Rabbit nine went through the season with a record that we can always be proud of and when the State Tournament came along they came out with top honors, defeating the powerful Tucson Badgers 6-5 in a tough tangle. Much of the credit went to pitcher Lloyd Harding who pitched seventeen consecutive innings.

The Mesa High student body watches and participates in the football picture featuring the Mesa and Tempe teams and demonstrating football rules, which is being shown all over the nation.





# The Peppy and Fast-Moving Cheer Leaders

Just as the desert needs water—Mesa High needs cheer leaders.

The four curly haired cheer leaders this year were a yelling success. With Venla leading and Lena, Mark and Jo Ed backing her, the school cheered through an exciting year of sports.

The cheer leader's costumes were composed of yellow slacks, long sleeve purple blouses, yellow slip-over sweaters with purple M's on the front, and saddle-oxfords. They made a very striking quartet, as they were all the same height.

The year started with rousing football games at which Mark and Jo Ed stood on their heads and did flips trying to get the crowd to respond. The school took pride in helping the team, by cheering them on to a glorious season which netted in the state championship crown. The pep leaders attended eight out of ten football games—missing only those that were farthest away.

Basketball season started off with the cheer leaders going to Glendale. Through thick and thin Venla, Lena, Jo Ed, and Mark followed the cagers through a fast season of games ending with the consolation at Tempe. With light

hearts and big ideas they took in the sights of the "Old Pueblo" returning with the team and the consolation cup of the state tournament.

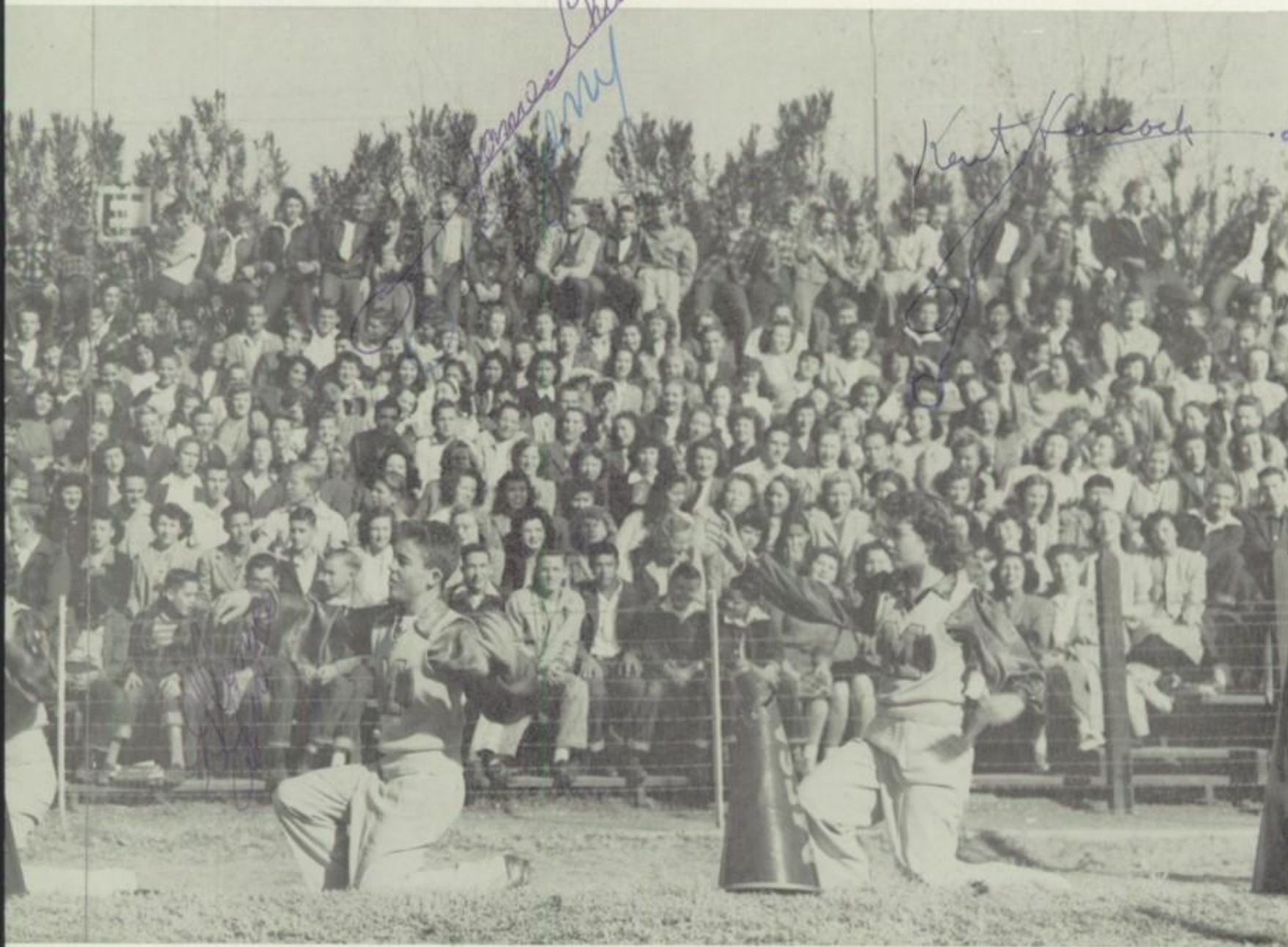
The snappy four were always in the pep assemblies with enthusiastic yells and flashing colors, spurring the students on with new yells suggested by the student-body.

Another highlight of the season was when they led the students in their yells before the big eye of the Hollywood Movie camera for that famous football picture.

The position of cheer leader is a difficult one and a great deal of credit should go to those students who add so much to the spirit and enthusiasm that Mesa High is noted for.

The cheer leaders are elected at the beginning of each year by the students. They are nominated in assembly and then are voted on by the students. One is selected to act as cheer commissioner.

We have big hopes for the school in the coming years as Lena, Venla, Jo Ed and Mark will be candidates for cheer leaders for a few more years.







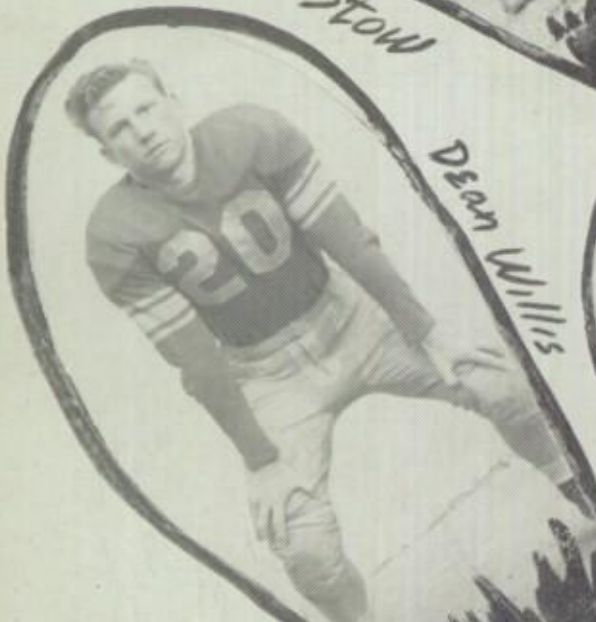
Dick Stow



Milford Dorset



Bob Gates



Dean Willis



Jack Willis



Charlie Stevens



Floyd Leavitt



Jack Cathell



Bill Baker



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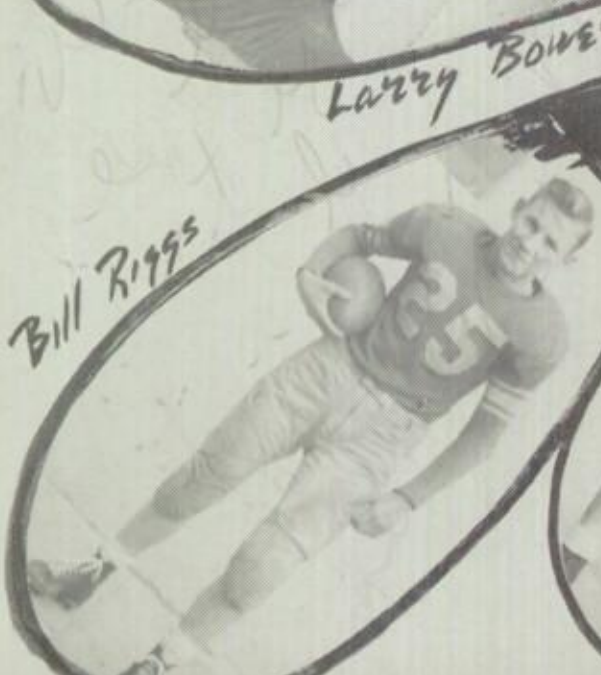
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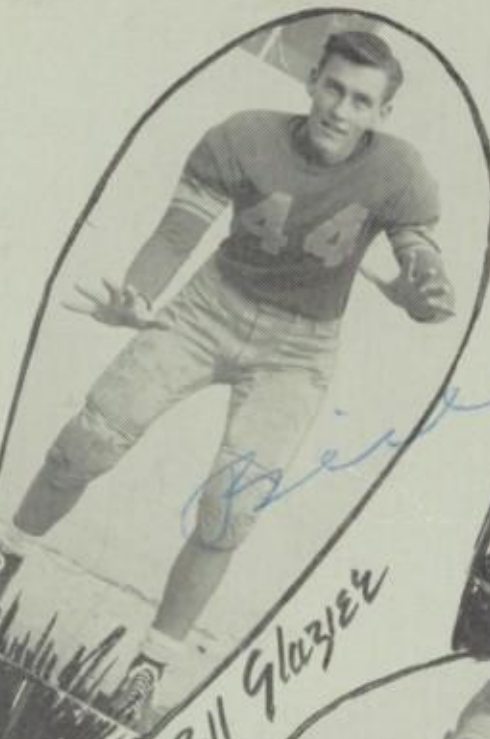


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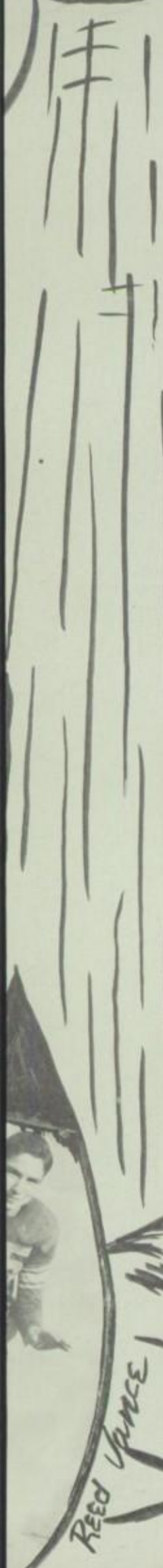
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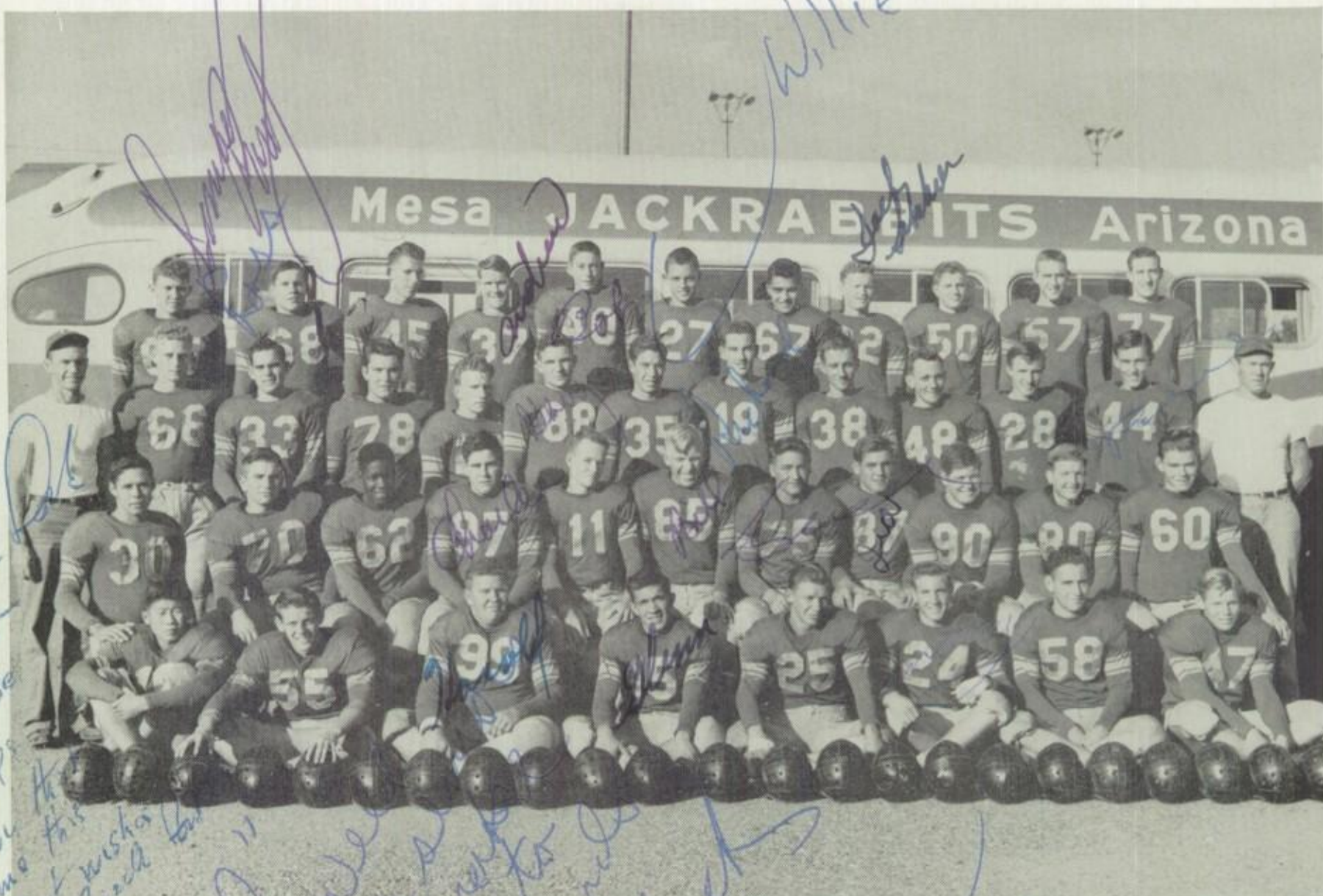
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Back Row: Demar Ray, Ross Farnsworth, Gene Tschumi, Andrew Williams, Bob Oates, Wilford Crandall, David Saba, Jack Schahrer, Jere Tayrien, Bill Workman, Dan Russell.  
 Third Row: Coach Ford, Don McClintock, Dick Stowe, Jack Cathey, Dean Willis, Gary Feezor, Reed Vance, Richard Ledbetter, Rod Christian, Jack Willis, Bruce Thompson, Bill Glazier, Coach Brady.  
 Second Row: Carlos Garcia, Jim Jones, Charlie Stephens, Charles Grutzmacher, George Beall, Bill Baker, Gene Johnston, Ira Pratt, Glenn Bowers, Floyd Leavitt, Floyd Boyd.  
 Front Row: Masumi Ikeda, Milford Borsett, Harold Young, Glenn Peterson, Billy Riggs, Floyd Wright, Harry Slade, Alfred Heywood.

## Arizona's Championship Football Team

Mesa opened its first undefeated grid season in thirteen years by defeating the Safford Bulldogs 39-12 in a game in which big Bill Workman, center, intercepted a pass and raced fifteen yards to pay dirt.

Next on the Jackrabbits' list were the North Phoenix Mustangs, who gave the Jacks a tough ride as the score was 14-13 at the half. A determined Mesa team came back, though, to defeat the powerful Mustangs 26-13.

On October 3 the Jacks met the undefeated Bowie Bears on the home field and after a hard-fought first quarter ramblled on to a 14-0 victory.

Eight thousand five hundred fans watched Mesa defeat St. Mary's on October 9 at the Tempe Goodwin Stadium. Mesa seemed to be on the down grade for this game, as the Knights pushed Mesa all over the field for three quarters and marked up a six point lead. Mesa came to life in the final stanza as the Russell to Glazier combination clicked for two touchdowns to make the scoreboard read Mesa 12, St. Mary's 6.

The only blot on Mesa's 1947 record came when the

Rabbits traveled to the "Old Pueblo" to meet the Tucson Badgers in the University Stadium on October 15.

Mesa held an edge on the offensive in the hard fought scoreless first period; then jumped into the lead in the second quarter when Glazier caught a short pass in the end zone. Feezor kicked for the extra point.

The Badgers cut loose with an aerial attack early in the final quarter that moved them down the field. Finally they recovered a Mesa fumble. Carroll passed to Bailey who outdistanced the Mesa secondary for a score. Then Bailey coolly kicked the tying point as the gun went off—Mesa 7, Tucson 7.

Opening with three touchdowns in the first quarter, the Rabbits downed the Glendale Cardinals 39-7 to take their second Class A win at the Jackrabbit stadium.

The Rabbits' big test come on October 31, when they met the Yuma Criminals, leading contenders for the state crown. Yuma scored first, but Mesa was not to be led. Dan Russell passed 31 yards to Bill Glazier to go into the lead by one point.



### BUNNIES

**Back Row:** Max Hawkins, Frank Pina, John Ong, Zen Richins, Dewey Ray, James Kuhens, Jim Click, Bob Willis, Kent Hancock.

**Second Row:** Coach Heywood, Wayne Bryan, Dean Vickery, Clyde Gray, George Dutcher, Al Mendivil, Jay Smith, Ray Russell, Clair Turley, Laurence Vance, Ted Matsuyoshi.

**Front Row:** Richard Miller, Jack Huffaker, James Childers, Norman Higgins, Richard Clayton, Douglas Shepherd, Jerry Taylor, Frank New, Harry Jones.



### BUNNY RESERVES

**Back Row:** Coach Cox, Glen Law, Carroll Fogle, Rogers Poole, Sam Franks, Dwayne Simpson, John Allen, Dwayne Arrowsmith, Walter Bendure, Raymond Nicholson, Jerry Frost, Frank Pond.

**Second Row:** Glen Ray, Bob Clouse, Gordon Shumway, Delbert Beebe, Wayne Davis, Eugene Millet, Carroll Pennington, Donald Dawson, Nathaniel Frelex, Ronald Robinson, Jimmy Massey.

**Front Row:** Rudy Garcia, Kenny White, John Hogle, Lee Coleman, Lloyd Willis, Gene Jones, Pat Pomeroy, Owen Skousen, Derril Richardson, Edward White, Louis Jackson.

### COTTONTAILS

**Back Row:** Left to right—Val Millet, Bill Horn, Denny Hunsaker, Herbert Bryce, Denzil Arrington, Kenneth Bailey, Kenneth Nichols, Edward Tenney, Thomas Brinkerhoff, Coach Brady.

**Second Row:** Rae Brimhall, Bob Goodman, Kenneth Gilbert, Ray Ulmer, Doyle Martin, Kermit West, Carwin West, Keith Standage, Eddie Harmon, Coy Johnson, Boyce Fish.

**Front Row:** Archie Thompson, Kenneth Allen, Roland Woods, Grant Stapley, Gene McClanahan, Melvil Williams, Mel Allen, Darrel Harper, Kent Mulleneaux, William Pittman.







Mesa scored again late in the second period to give them the margin of victory, 14-13.

The Jackrabbits traveled to El Paso, Texas, to win a see-saw battle from the Tigers 20-19.

Back home the Rabbits assured themselves of at least a tie for the Class A championship as they defeated the Phoenix Union Coyotes 26-6 on November 14.

On November 21, Mesa traveled to the border city to down the Bisbee Pumas 26-7. Bisbee was a newcomer on the Rabbits' schedule.

The final hurdle between Mesa and the state championship was the up-and-coming newcomers to grid game, the Amphitheater Panthers from Tucson. After trailing 14-7 at the half time, an inspired Rabbit eleven drove down the field once in the third quarter and again in the final stanza to put the game on ice 20-14.

Thus ended Mesa's first undefeated football season since 1930.

Following in the footsteps of their older brothers, the Bunnies went through an undefeated, untied season.

Their superiority was clearly shown by their chalking up a total of 210 points to their opponents 65. They defeated Glendale 12-6, St. Mary's 26-6, North Phoenix 33-6, Phoenix Union 24-2, Phoenix Tech 26-0, North Phoenix 26-19, St. Mary's 25-6, Glendale 13-7, and Phoenix Union 25-19.

They played their most exciting game with the North Phoenix Colts. With the score tied up most of the game, the Bunnies came from behind to win by 26-19.

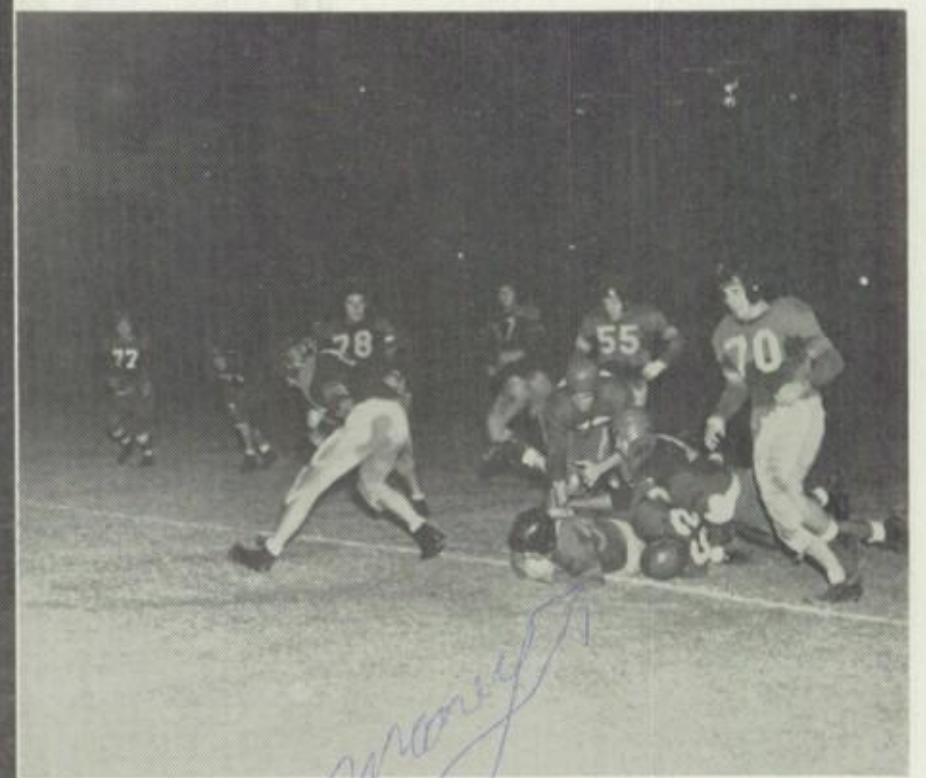
Coach Ford can look forward to lots of future varsity prospects in Jay Smith, George Dutcher, Al Mendevil, Ray Russell, Jack Huffaker, Richard Clayton, Ted Matsuyoshi and Harry Jones.

Crashing through for a touchdown is Jack Schahrer, powerful half-back.

Don McClintock dives over for another Mesa touchdown

Here he goes again—McClintock making another point for the Jackrabbits.

Floyd Wright goes through the center of the line to make another gain.





# Outstanding Basketball Players

The Jackrabbit five jumped into a two game winning streak in regular play by knocking over the Glendale Cardinals 42-34 and slipping the Tempe Buffaloes 26-22.

For their next game the Rabbits traveled to the Old Pueblo. They lost their first game of the season to the Badgers 44-31. This was also the first class A loss.

Returning home and still smarting from their defeat at Tucson the Rabbits edged the North Phoenix Mustangs 30-27 and swiped the game from the St. Mary's Knights 38-32.

In the return game with Glendale the Rabbits were dealt their second loss of the season 38-30. Their third loss was handed to them by the Phoenix Union Coyotes by a score of 38-36. This was probably the most closely matched game of the season.

The Rabbits hit another two game winning streak by defeating Coolidge 30-25 and romping over the Yuma Criminals 40-25.

Traveling to North Phoenix next the Rabbits were tripped 49-31 by the Mustangs. The next night found the Rab-

bbits playing the St. Mary's Knights in the North High Gymnasium because St. Mary's did not have a gym of their own. The score in favor of Mesa, was 41-33.

In the last game of the season the Rabbits lost to the Badgers of Tucson 41-28.

Then came the district tournament. Although the Jackrabbits did not come out on top, they did win the consolation. The Coolidge Bears took the first game away from the Rabbits 34-32 which placed them in the consolation bracket.

At the state tournament the Rabbits climaxed a fairly successful season by winning the consolation championship, a feat never before accomplished by other teams from Mesa. They were placed in the consolation bracket by Ajo 33-31, but came back again as they did in the district tournament to beat out all other opposition. Casa Grande, district champions before the Rabbits onslaught. Winslow was dropped 31-24 and Duncan was crowded out at the finals 42-29.

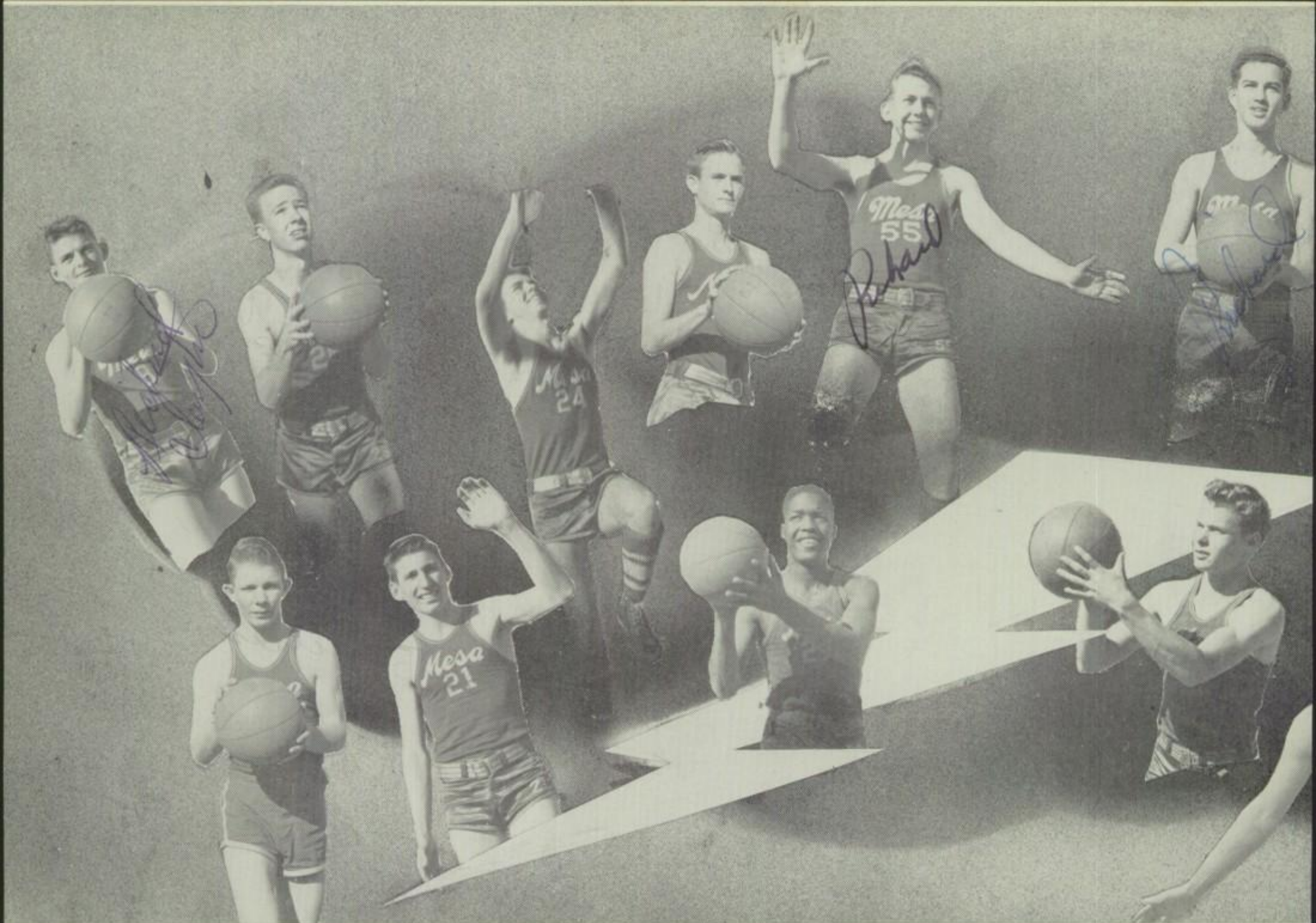


**Back Row:** Coach Cox, Charlie Stephens, Bill Glazier, Richard Ledbetter, Richard Clayton, Bob Oates, Richard LeSueur, Coach Ford.

**Second Row:** Donald Horne, Don McClintock, Bill Riggs, Milford Dorsett, Dewey Ray, Delwyn Gardner.

**Front Row:** Lamar Jones, Richard McCleve, June Webb, Jerry Mortenson, William White.





Back Row: Richard Clayton, Delwyn Gardner, Richard McCleve, William White, Richard LeSueur, Richard Ledbetter, June Webb, Dean Larsen, Bill Glazie

## Mesa's Basketball

The Mesa Bunnies, under the able coaching of Kenneth Heywood, racked up a total of 596 points compared to the 435 scored by their opponents. They won eleven and lost three games.

Last year the Tucson Badger Cubs took both games in their stride, but it was totally reversed this year. The Bunnies won 45-33, at home, and 53-27 on the Tucson hardwood.

Other Class A victories were North Phoenix, 37-30; Glendale, 32-26; Yuma, 55-19; and Phoenix Union, 40-31. We lost to Glendale, 39-46; Phoenix Union, 28-31; and North Phoenix, 50-23.

The Bunnies from Mesa High made the best Class A showing of any second team in the state.

Derrell Skousen scored 104 points for the entire season to earn high point man and he had an average of 7.9 points per game.

### BUNNIES

Back Row: left to right—John Ong, Edward White, Gordon Shumway, Coach Heywood, Wayne Davis, Pat Pomeroy, Carlos Garcia.

Front Row: left to right—Masumi Ikeda, Dean Larsen, Wilford Crandall, Jack Huffaker, Derrell Skousen, Douglas Shepherd.







Lamar Jones. Front Row: Jerry Mortenson, Dewey Ray, Charlie Stephens, Dwayne Larsen, Masumi Ikeda, Milford Dorsett, Don McClintock, Don Horne

## Stars of Tomorrow

The Cottontails made a record this year that they can be proud of the rest of their lives and Coach Cox will also treasure that record. They had seventeen consecutive wins, including the East Central Tournament games played at Casa Grande, piling up 439 points to their opponents 276.

The tournament they played in, and won, was a second team tournament. The tournament officials said the Mesa Bunnies were too good, but they gave the Cottontails permission to participate. The Cottontails racked up a total of 123 points to the opponents 86 to come out the freshman state champion team.

Leroy Ward was the high scorer of the season with 72 points, an average of a little over seven points per game. He was chosen on the second All Tournament Team. John Allen was high point man in the tournament with forty points and came in second in the number of points scored during the season.

### COTTONTAILS

Back Row: left to right—Melvin Williams, Darrel Harper, Bob Allen, Clarence Cox, Leroy Ward, Glen Bowers.

Second Row: left to right—Mark Meldrum, Richard Maddern, Carwin West, Eddie Harmon, Rudy Garcia.

Front Row: left to right—George Dutcher, Dale Sneed, Jay Smith, Keith Standage, Bill Horne.





# Rabbits' Hard-Hitting Horsehide Champions

The Jackrabbit baseball team, 1947 state champions, started their 1948 season March 5 with a 4-2 win over the St. Mary's Knights at the Rendezvous Park in Mesa. Coach Brady started Tim Debose, an inexperienced junior, on the mound against the Knights and he made such a good showing that he was immediately moved up to the Varsity from the Bunny squad.

The very next night the Jacks suffered a 14-4 defeat at the hands of the University of Arizona freshman team.

The experienced Rabbit squad, intact from last year except for two pitchers and two outfielders, took their third game, a class A tilt, from Yuma 15-4 on March 13. Dwayne Larsen went the limit in this contest, allowing only four runs.

Their next victim was Phoenix Union, whom they defeated 5-1 behind the capable pitching of Masumi Ikeda, March 19. In this game both Carlos Garcia and Jim Horne knocked homers into the left field bushes. The following night Tim Debose pitched his second win; this time over the Glendale Cardinals, 7-1.

The Mesa Jackrabbits then lost to the North Phoenix

Mustangs twice and to the Tucson Badgers. But they defeated the Glendale Cardinals, Phoenix Union Coyotes and Phoenix Tech Hornets to qualify for the class A tournament held in Tucson.

The mighty Jackrabbits went on to meet Yuma, and the Arizona State College Freshmen.

All of these games were just building up to the finals—the state tournament in Tucson—which determined the 1948 state champions.

After a lapse of one year, there was a Bunny baseball team this spring.

Pressed for room to practice, a temporary diamond was built at the site of the coming junior high school, where the Bunnies played most of their games.

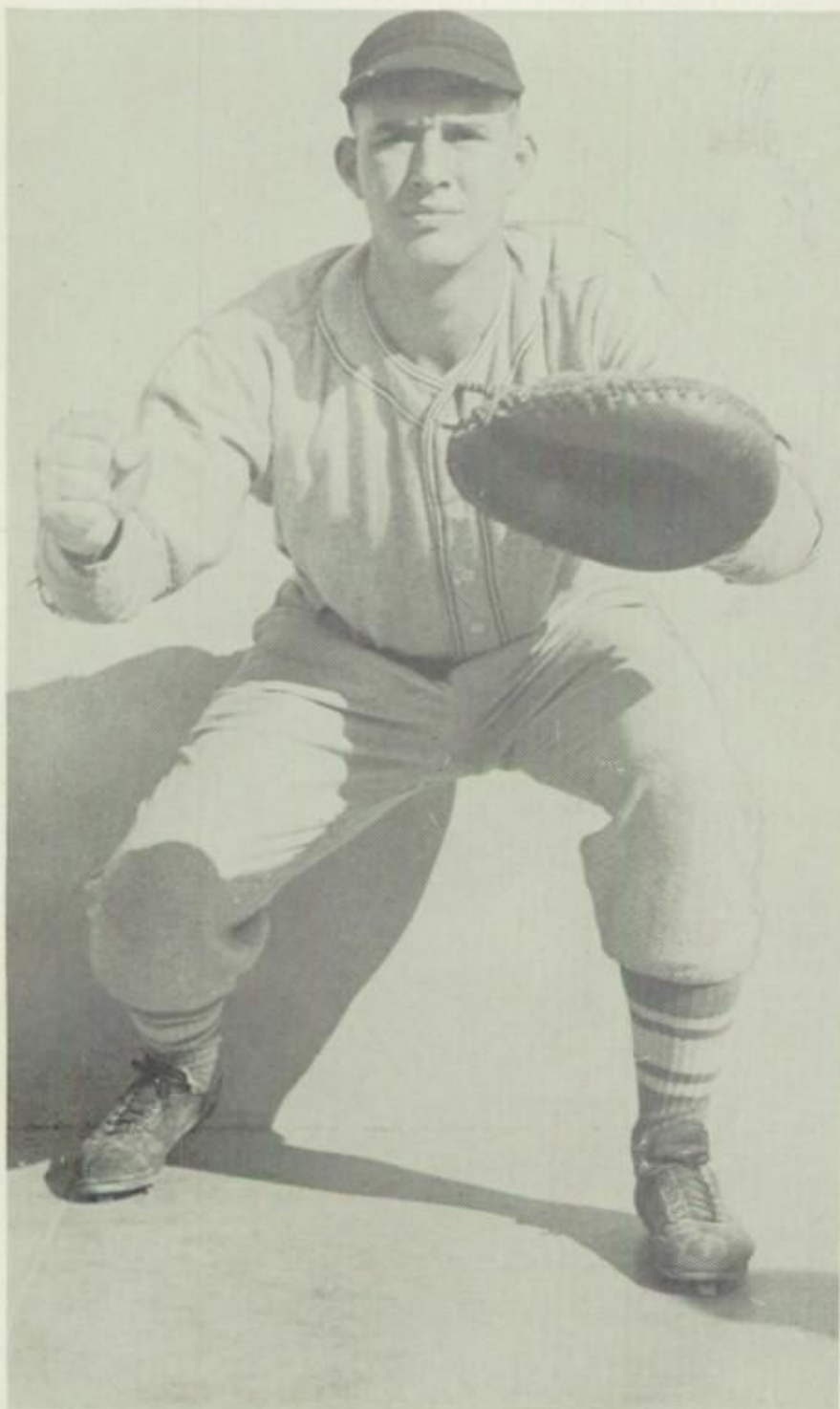
The year's lay off showed on the Bunny team as they dropped their first three games to North Phoenix, St. Mary's and Phoenix Union.

However under the capable coaching of Mr. Don Sparks and Sacramento Ortiz some very fine prospects were developed and it was expected that they would add considerably to the varsity next season.

Back Row: Coach Brady, Jim Horne, Al Mendiivil, Richard Ledbetter, Bobby Oates, Charlie Stephens, Wayne Masters.  
Front Row: Masumi Ikeda, Richard McCleve, Del Gardner, Sonny Armenta, Timothy DeBouse, Carlos Garcia, Dwayne Larsen, Bob Willis (Mgr.)  
Not Pictured: Bill Workman, Paul Felton (Mgr.)







Bill Workman, veteran Rabbit catcher, prepares to receive a fast one



Dwayne Larsen winds up to try to fool the batter



#### BUNNIES

**Back Row:** Donald Beasley, Frank Pina, Dale Sneed, Donald Silvas, Robert Bowden.

**Second Row:** Howard Roberts, Edward White, Carroll Fogle, Derrell Skousen, LaVern North, Melvin Williams, James Childers, Sacramento Ortiz.

**Front Row:** Joe Spracale, Jay Smith, Guy Nix, Merlin Mitchel, Daryl Martin, Mel Allen, Rudy Garcia, William Pittman.



# Thinclads Look

Mesa High had six returning lettermen this year from last year's team that took third place in the Class A State Track Meet at Tucson. Ten of Mesa's 30 1/2 points were won by the sensational "Whizzer" White in the broad jump, 220, and the 440.

Mesa started the season with a dual meet with Glendale, here. Dan Russell ran the high and low hurdles, Clair Turley pole vaulted, Don McClintock did his share by putting the shot, while Wayne Randall and Don Marksbury ran the 440, and Bill Asher did the 100 yard dash.

The "thinclads" next encounter was a three-way meet with North Phoenix and Phoenix Union on the Mustangs track and field. The Rabbits took third with 39 1/2 points, 1/2 point behind Phoenix Union while North Phoenix took first with 62 points.

On March 25, Mesa met and defeated Amphitheatre of Tucson by a score of 100-13.

The Rabbits took an easy victory over Brawley, their closest competitors, in the Arizona-California track meet at Yuma, April 2, with 68-33 win. This was the second consecutive year that the Jacks brought home top honors from Yuma. El Centro edged out Yuma, with a close score of 20-18. Wayne Randall, Mesa's middle-distance man and Glenn Peterson, dash man and hurdler, were the high scorers at the meet, with 13 and 11 1/4 points respectively. Mesa grabbed off 7 of the 13 firsts to be had at the meet. The 100, 220, 440, and 880 yard dashes, the mile run, football throw, and the relay.

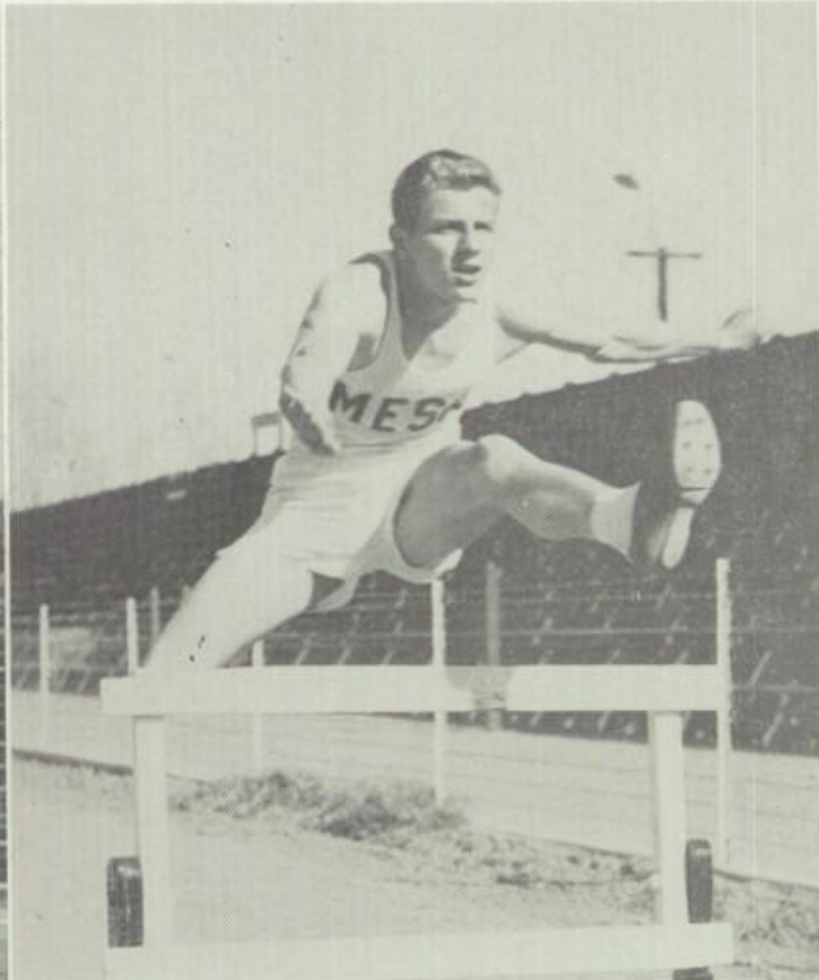


Back Row: Coach Heywood, Douglas Shepherd, Paul Shipley, Ga  
Second Row: Eddy Lane, Harold Alexander, Don Marksbury, Keit  
Front Row: Bill Asher, Clair Turley, Zen Richens, Wayne Randa

Clair Turley takes a practice jump at his specialty, the pole vault.

Jere Tayrien goes over the low hurdle with good form.

Larry Bower





## Toward the Future

On the afternoon of March 4, the Rabbits had a bit of a reminder of last years state meet when Phoenix Union edged them out of second place by a  $\frac{1}{2}$  point, 40-39 $\frac{1}{2}$ , in a three-way meet.

The Rabbits placed first in four events; 880, pole vault, high jump and broad jump. The North Phoenix Mustangs took the meet in their stride by pulling in 63 $\frac{1}{2}$  points.

THE MESA BUNNIES have done very well this season, taking their first meet from the Glendale second team "thin-clads" by a score of 60-53.

In a three way meet with Phoenix Union and North Phoenix, the Bunnies came out in second place. Phoenix Union came first and North High also ran.

Placed against the Phoenix Tech and the Tempe varsity in another three way cinder meet, the Bunnies took top scoring honors with 49 points. Phoenix Tech placed second with 45 $\frac{1}{2}$  points while Tempe could only scrape together 20 $\frac{1}{2}$  points.

Against the Chandler and Globe varsity, the Bunnies received second place. Chandler earned 62 $\frac{1}{4}$  points and first place. They were followed closely by the Bunnies with 50 points. Globe earned 28 $\frac{1}{4}$  points.

Outstanding players on the Bunny track team are: Lewis Jackson—high jump, broad jump and dashes; George Dutcher—100 and 220; Max Hawkins—880; Ray Russell—high and low hurdles; Lee Coleman—pole vault; Jerry Frost—mile run.

### BUNNIES

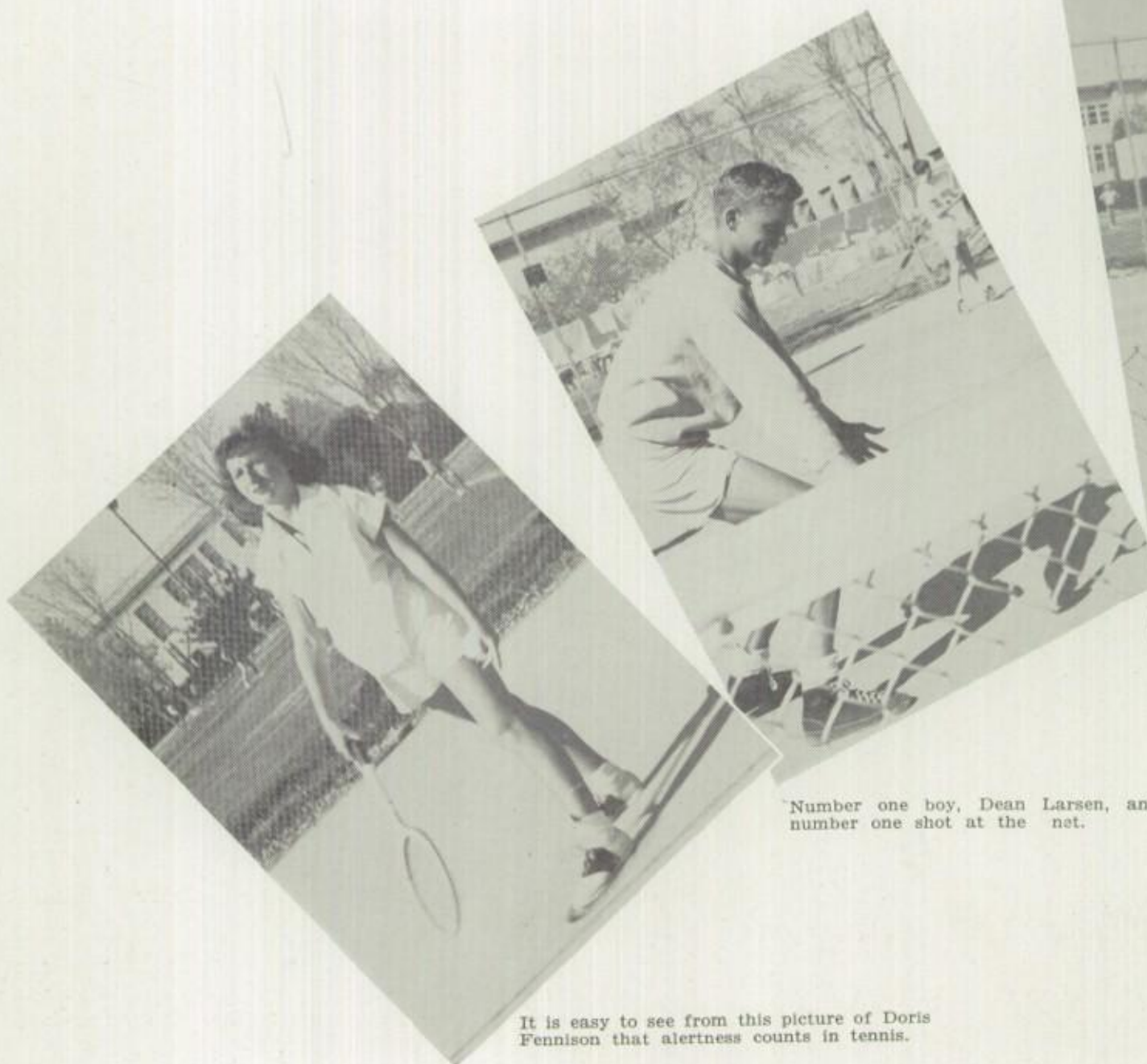
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Front Row: Raymond Nickelson, Lee Coleman, John Hogle, George Dutcher, Ray Russell, Louis Jackson, Nathaniel Felix.

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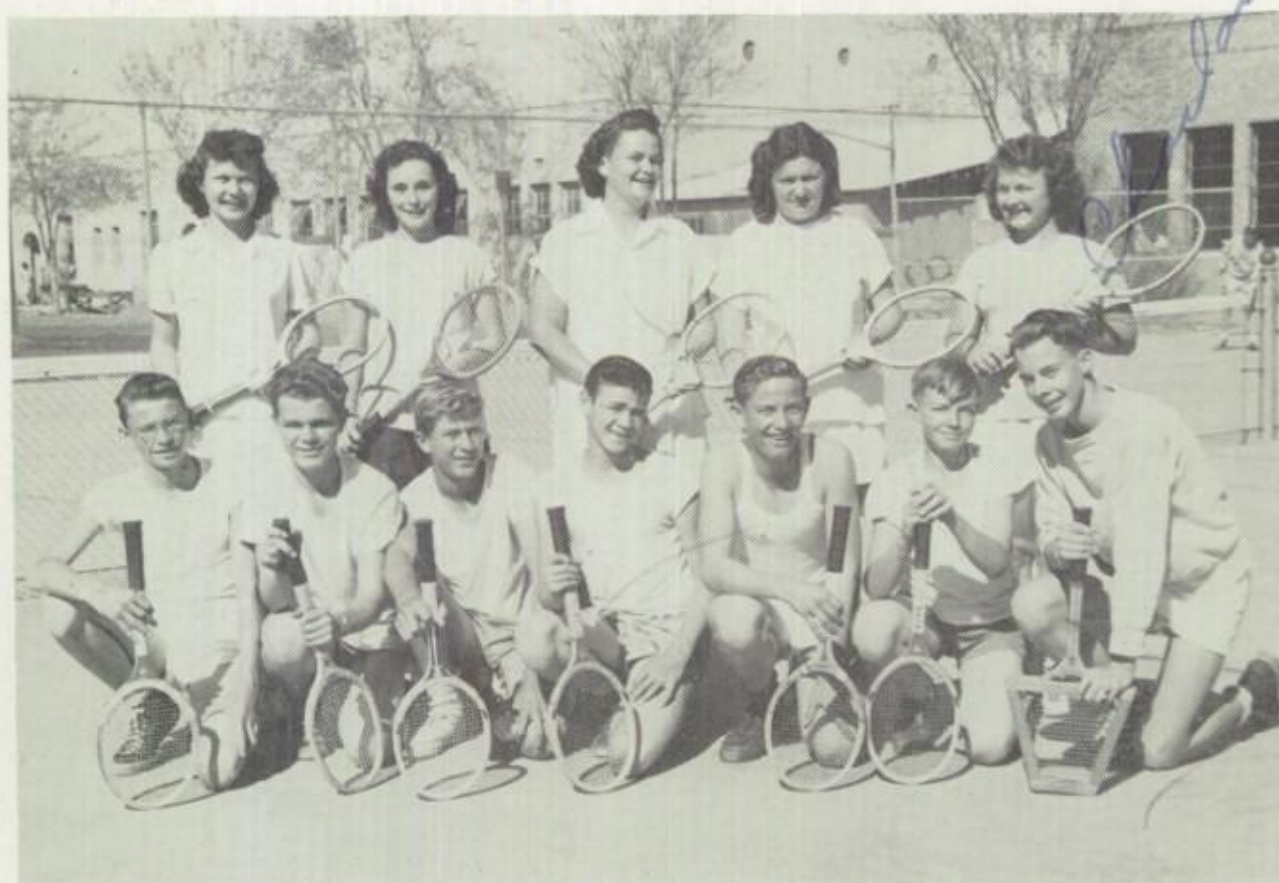
# Active and Alert Tennis Squad



Swift net action, another basic principle of tennis, is exhibited by Ruth Wells.

Number one boy, Dean Larsen, and his number one shot at the net.

It is easy to see from this picture of Doris Fennison that alertness counts in tennis.



## BUNNIES

**Back Row:** Pauline Upton, Connie Brown, Carole McPhee, Helen Crawford, Charlene Ray.

**Front Row:** Wallace Coates, Carl Taylor, Lyneer Anderson, Dale McClaws, Milo LeBaron, Ernest Lee, Clyde Tucker.



Dear "Rod",  
Well "Lunger"

next week we'll  
become seniors!

Boy will really  
tear the school apart  
next year. We ought  
to overthrow Kuhlman  
and set up a dictatorship.

Will really have an  
K of a time up at Boys  
state. Here's wishing  
you lots of luck  
a friend  
Bryant

Both the boys and girls tennis teams began with a bang this year even though Coach Clarence E. Cox lost most of last year's fine squad.

The girl netters started the season with victories over Tempe and Scottsdale. Tempe came back and won a 3-0 decision over Mesa. The girls then had a losing streak with North Phoenix, Tucson and Yuma being the victors.

Coach Cox should have a Class A winning girls team next year, for he has four girls returning. All of these girls gained valuable experience this year when they played on the varsity team.

The boy netters started the season right by defeating Tempe, but then turned around and lost to Phoenix Union. They then beat Judson School. Next they traveled to Tucson only to be beaten 7-0. The following week they defeated St. Mary's 7-2 and the very next week they duplicated the score, only this time against Yuma.

Outstanding on the boys team this season was Dean Larsen, sophomore, who remained number one man all season. He got to the semi-finals in the state closed tournament and into the finals in the doubles when he teamed up with Arlan Gildehous. Coach Cox says, next year he expects Dean Larsen to be even better.



Bryant demonstrates how to put one

Back Row: left to right—Dean Larsen, Arlan Gildehous, Ira Bryant.  
Second Row: left to right—Doris Fennison, Donna Skousen, Helen Dong, Helen Ong, Elizabeth Miller, Ramona Freeman, Beverly Lindley.  
Front Row: left to right—Norman Higgins, Pat Pomeroy, Earl Vance, Wayne Davis, Stanley Duke, Lee Wayne Webb.





# Men Behind the Teams

As always, the year passes and little thought or recognition is given to the managers, the boys who really do the dirty work for the teams. Did you ever stop and think of all the jobs they have to do? Their main job is to take care of all the team's suits, both for practice and for games.

Every baseball that is knocked out of the park they have to chase down. They have to take care of all football, basketball, baseball and track equipment from shoe strings to baseball bats. They learn to be competent masseurs and handy with a first aid kit. They slave for every player from Varsity to Cottontail.

This year's very competent manager staff was headed by Floyd Judd, head manager. During football season he was ably assisted by Jose Escobedo, Howard Robertson, Ronald Randall, Archie Thompson, William Pittman and Jimmy Massey. Basketball season again found Floyd Judd, backed by Franklin Gibson, Bill Bailey, Ronald Randall and Archie Thompson. Track managers were few in number, but hard workers, namely Franklin Gibson and Bill Bailey. The boys who chased the baseballs, stacked the bats and hung up the suits for baseball were Bob Willis and Paul Felton. Both track and baseball managers were supervised by Floyd Judd. Credit should also be given to the athletic commissioner, Roy McClellan, a former manager who helped the boys out a great deal.

All in all it can be said that the managers helped to make a team great and many of the teams' achievements can be credited to the managers and this year has proved to be no exception.



Left to right: Bill Bailey, Franklin Gibson



*Don't Rodie grow you all the  
Here's to a great year  
I wish you all the  
luck and success in  
the world.  
your friend  
Bill Bailey*

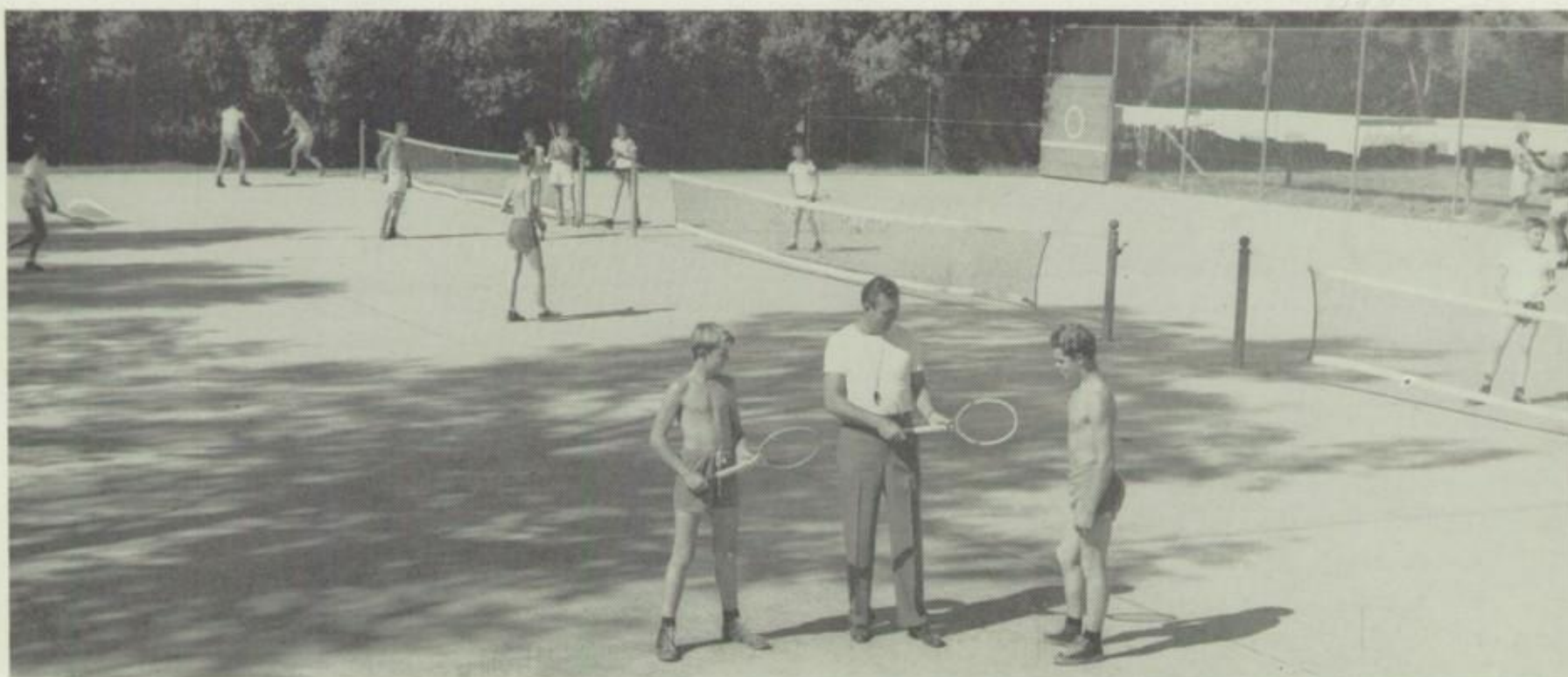
William Pittman—Cottontail, Floyd Judd—Head Manager, Joe Escobedo—Assistant, Ronald Randall—Assistant, Jimmy Massey—Bunny Reserve, Archie Thompson—Cottontail. Bill Bailey—Bunny manager—is not pictured.





Glazier makes jump shot over heads of Glendale players — Spectators like McCleve's accuracy on long shots in Glendale game — McClintock takes set-up against Tempe Buffaloes.

Coach Cox explains the "racket" of tennis to future "racketeers"





# Girls Acti



**Back Row:** Della Ezcurra, Jo Harmon.  
**Front Row:** Doris Posey, Rosalva Pena, Evangeline Armenta, Velora Jarvis.  
**Those absent are:** Anita Nava, Carol Willis.

**Back Row:** Juanita Martinez, Lola Mae Randall, Iris Tietjen, Betty Hartley.  
**Front Row:** Jane Haymore, Jean Arrington, Lorraine Lytle.  
**Those absent are:** Dona Skousen, Mary Helen Nowell, Jean Stephens, Bonnie Hathcock.

Girls sports at Mesa High are many and varied; since sports teach coordination and better sportsmanship. Homeroom tournaments are held for the purpose of giving everyone an opportunity to participate in volleyball and baseball.

The Girls Athletic Association, under the guidance of Marjorie Entz, helps to promote better athletics. Those who belong to G. A. A. have made outstanding achievements in girls sports.

The season starts off with volleyball tournaments played by period champions, period all-stars, and homerooms. The girls homeroom champions this year were Marjorie Hewett's sophomores, captained by Pat Pena and Concha Jimenez.

After volleyball comes basketball, the tournaments

played by period champions and all-stars. The homerooms do not compete against each other in this sport. After basketball the girls take up softball. Here again, they have homeroom competition, along with the period and all-star champions.

Three different sports play days are held each year between six valley schools. The first, volleyball, was sponsored by Glendale, the Mesa girls having traveled over on the Jackrabbit bus. Basketball playday was held at Phoenix Union, with the St. Mary's girls as hostess. Softball playday was sponsored by Mesa.

After softball season is over, the girls go into the other various sports, which are shuffleboard, bowling, croquet, table tennis, badminton, and horseshoes.





# In the Sports



*Norma West  
Doris Jean Posey  
Myrtle Ray*

The girls play a variety of sports. A few of them are volleyball, basketball and tennis.

Sometime during the next school year the girls health education department will be moved to the girl's gymnasium which will be located in the east end of the armory building. The gym will be upstairs and the offices, dressing rooms, and showers will be downstairs. The athletic department at Mesa High school is really one to be proud of. Through the many activities listed above, it gives every girl a chance to develop her particular athletic abilities. Besides building strong, healthy bodies and minds it promotes a feeling of friendliness and good sportsmanship that is unequalled anywhere.

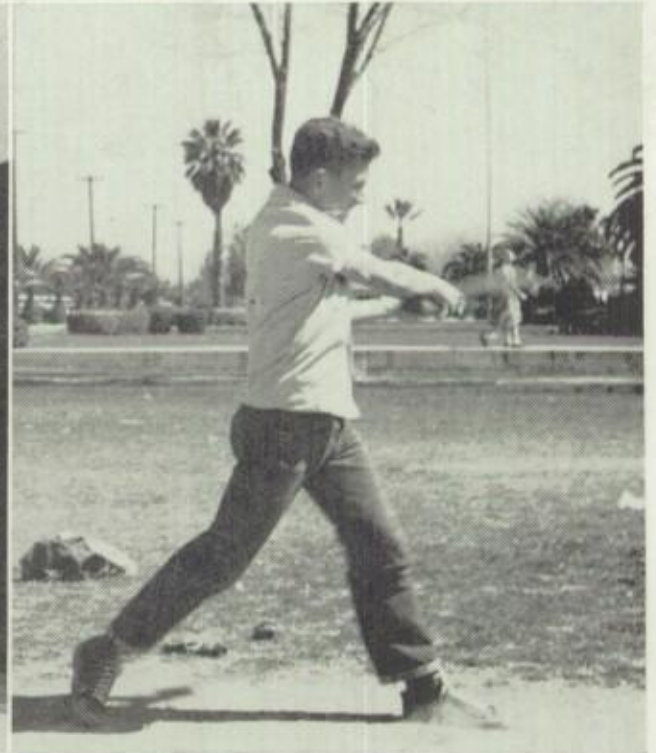
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**Front Row:** left to right—Georgie Ricks, Rachel Ann Love, Maxine Woolsey, Myrtle Ray, Lilly Nichols.

**Back Row:** left to right—Peggy Ann Smith, June O'Barr, Beverly Lindley, Ruth Kleinman.  
**Front Row:** left to right—Doris Jean Posey, Pat Pena, Concha Jimenez, Connie Brown, Carolyn Cox.







The athletic activities of Mesa High aren't confined to the outstanding football, basketball, baseball, and track teams. For the girls there is twirling, roping, shuffleboard, volley tennis, table tennis, and of course, volleyball, basketball, and softball. The boys enjoy—in addition to the major football basketball, and softball—tumbling and wrestling.





Dear Rock,

It has been nice  
knowing you. I hope that  
we will see a champion  
foot ball team next year.

Your friend,

Larry

Dear Dad,  
The best of luck  
to a swell guy  
we've had a lot of  
fun in A.V.

a friend always

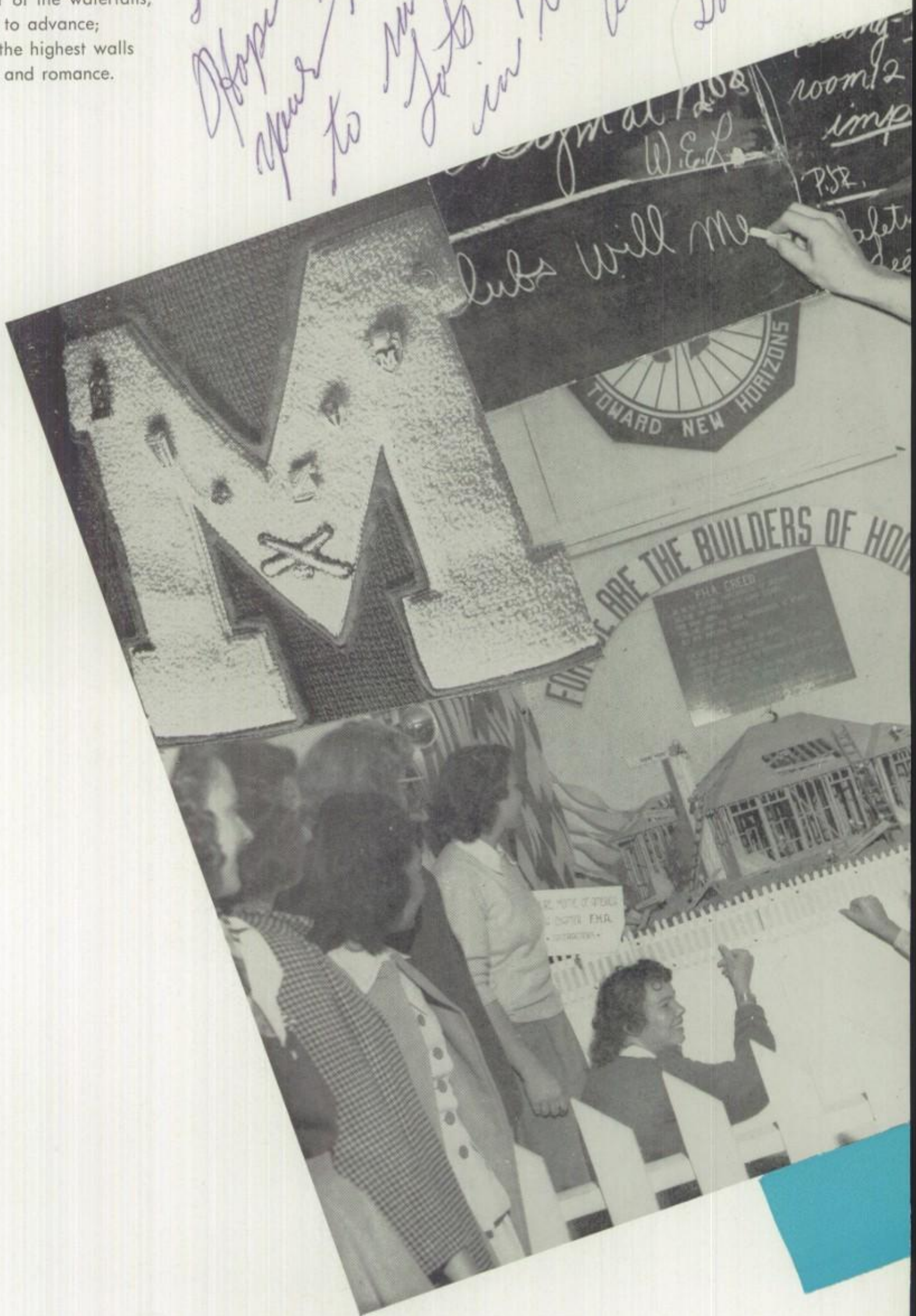
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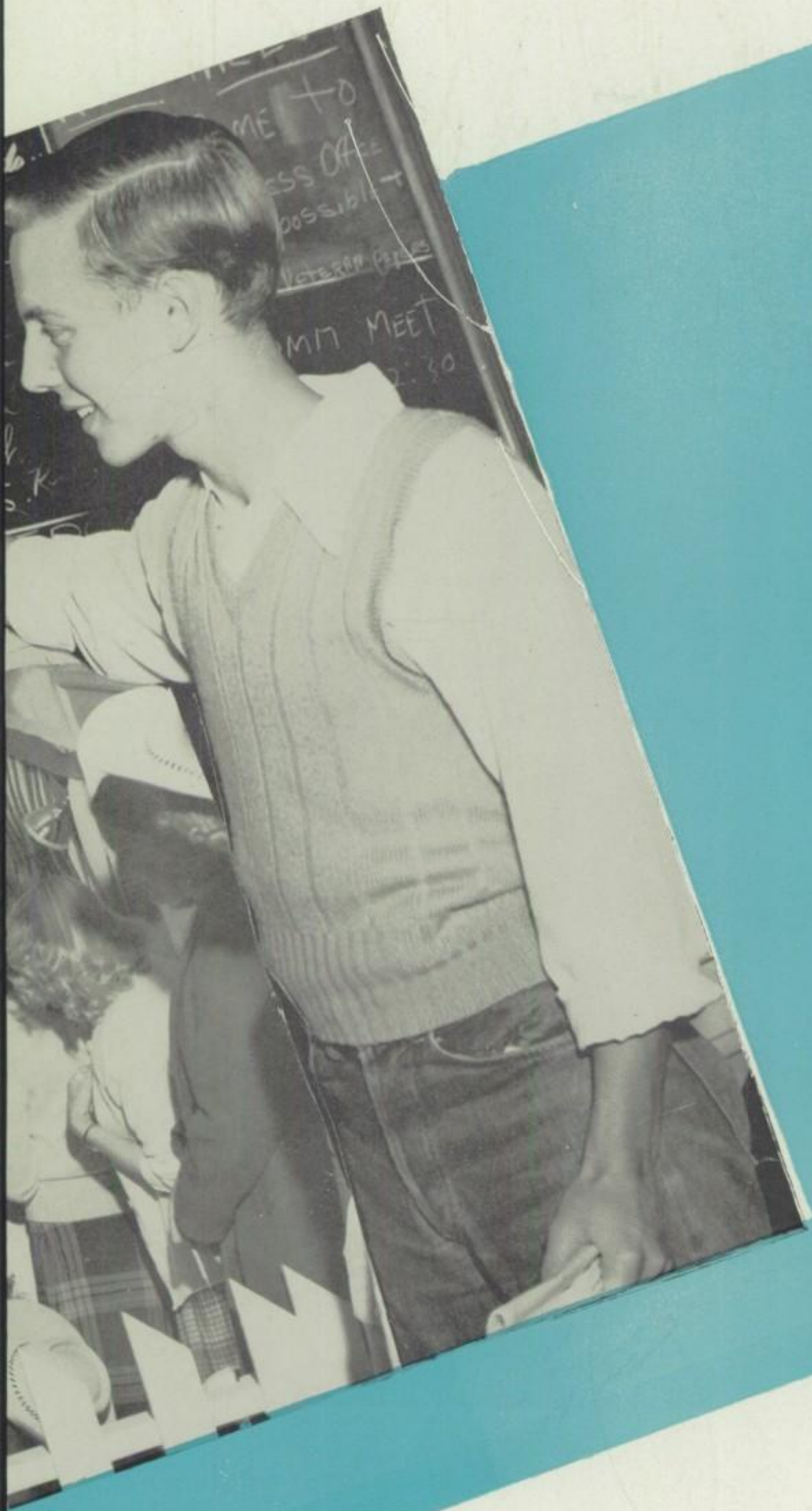


As moisture seeps down mountain sides,  
 Clubs strive with effort to gain the heights;  
 And with friendship, each one confides  
 To learn respect for other's rights.  
 Like the powerful roar of the waterfalls,  
 The members proceed to advance;  
 Till they've overcome the highest walls  
 In their search for life and romance.

*Sam Jones*  
*Hope you get*  
*your machine*  
*to me*  
*lots of luck*  
*in the future*  
*a bunch of*  
*Dennis Ray*







Dear Rob.  
Hires wishing a merry  
man lots of luck next  
year at left end  
a pal  
Bud Leveaux





A boy and a girl spend some time in quiet conversation while other ambitious girls play basketball

*Janet*



# Clubs Are Active In Social Activities

This year the club program was greatly changed. The activity period was discontinued, so the clubs had to meet either before school, at noon or after school.

Nevertheless, under the direction of Miss Dorothy Turner and Hyman Weisburg, club counselors, and Wayne Legg, club commissioner, the club program prospered.

There were twenty-four clubs this year—four of which were honor clubs. Three were newly organized. A few of the clubs were discontinued because they were unable to find sponsors.

Each club carried on its own activities and some of them sponsored school projects, while others offered special services to the school.

To start the year off right, the Les Amis club sponsored the annual "Hello Party." The party was held out on the tennis courts with the evening air making the dance a success. This affair was for the purpose of getting acquainted.

The Barn Dance was sponsored by the Future Farmers of America this year. Before it was always sponsored by Boots and Saddle. It was held after the Phoenix Union football game. Many people attended and danced to the music of Porter's orchestra.

The Art Club, which for years has put on a Valentine Dance, sponsored the Halloween Dance this year. The black paper cats and witches on the walls carried the theme of Halloween out very well.

Gah Tso had their annual rally and a parade to go with it. The parade was held in the evening, ending behind the Maricopa Inn. The big bon fires furnished enough light to see the speakers. They also made pom-poms for the football games and wrapped the goal posts for the games.

The M Club held their annual Thanksgiving Dance at the Mezona this year. During the evening a turkey was raffled off. The money obtained from the dance was used to buy seat covers for the Jackrabbit bus.

One of the affairs that was most looked forward to was the Spanish Fiesta, sponsored by the Latin American club. The gay colored fiesta decorations made the dance a lovely affair. The Latin American club also gave a musical program in assembly.

The Girls Athletic Association planned the annual All School Hike. As usual, it consisted of an eight mile round trip, and the girls participating were given points towards their G. A. A. letters.

The National Honor Society, as part of their program this year, adopted a German Boys' School and sent it articles that were very badly needed. Other honor clubs, Quill and Scroll, Gah Tso and Les Amis, helped with this project.

The Masque and Dagger club gave a party for the members of the cast of each school play given this year.

At the beginning of each week a bulletin of various club activities for the week was given to each teacher to be posted in his or her room, while each issue of the school paper contained a column which kept the students informed of club activities.

One of the most outstanding events of the year was the Penny Club Carnival. The theme was naturally one of a carnival. At this colorful event every club had a booth and some concession in order to make money for the club treasury. During the evening, a king and queen was chosen and were presented with gifts. There was dancing all evening, besides the concessions.

## SCRAPBOOK CLUB

**Back Row:** Christine Thompson, Wanda Carlisle, Darla Mae Tryon, Eleanor Unnewehr, Doris Cooper, Donher Smith.

**Front Row:** Erma Hill, Esther Manning, Barbara Dugger, Miss Brandon, June O'Barr, Doris Posey, Darlene Utterbach.



## BRUSH and PALLETTE

**Back Row:** Willa Adams, Edwin Hodge, Bruce Hancock, Hugh Johnson.

**Front Row:** Gerald Sanders, Mr. Stephenson, Louis Crandall.







#### G. A. A.

Back Row: Mulleneaux, Casey, James, Arrington, Jennings, Davis, Coombs, Sargent.

Fourth Row: Pena, Allen, Brown, Nelson, Nowell, Harmon, Ray, Dana, Cluff, Chapman, Millet, Hemphill, Love.

Third Row: Clarkson, Flores, Nichols, Lamoreaux, Hancock, Kleinman, Urrea, Bradshaw, Thompson, Walters, Freeman, Forbach, Randall, Matsuyoshi, Lindley, Carr.

Second Row: Posey, Armenta, Lamoreaux, Sullivan, Bishop, Miss Entz, Gaglione, Cox, Heiner, Young, Wood.

Front Row: West, Faith, Woolsey (Tidwell), Stephens, Ortiz, Haymore, Gibbons, Franks, Johnston.



#### NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Back Row: June Webb, Jack McPhee, Morris Rollins, Fred Johnson, John Large, Kent Hilton, George Beall.

Third Row: Walter Noble, Richard LeSueur, Horace Kent, John Hamblin.

Second Row: Gertrude Law, Lola Gylling, Rachel Ann Love, Darlene Thompson, Jeanette Hemphill, Billie Jo Kramer, Lola Mae Randall, Frieda Davis, Frieda Nielson.

Front Row: Irene Millet, Beth Payne, Mone Urrea, Bertie Hogle, Cherie Cluff, Pauline Upton, Betty Ann Cooper, Betsy Jones, Irelta Blau.

#### QUILL and SCROLL

Back Row: Lamar Jones, Hugh Johnson, June Webb, Floyd Leavitt, George Beall, Dick Bailey, Stanley Beasley, Harry Newell.

Third Row: Bruce Hancock, Lorraine Udall, Helen Harper, Colleen Mortensen, Irelta Blau, Gertrude Law, Yvonne Heiner, Lilly Nichols, Neva Kerby, Dorothy Van Spanckeren, Jacquelyn DeRosier, Milford Dorsett.

Second Row: Ramona Freeman, Frieda Davis, Cherie Cluff, Bertie Hogle, Irene Millet, Priscilla Dingman, Sue Enloe, Reta Carr, Peggy Roley, Ann Nelson.

Front Row: Beth Matthews, Frieda Nielson, Beth Payne, Melvin Pearce, Louis Crandall, Marianna Huish, Lola Gylling, Irma Miller.

#### GAH TSO

Back Row: Louis Crandall, Delwyn Gardner, Melvin Pearce, Morris Rollins, Jack McPhee, Jerry Human, Thurbert Dodge, Glenn Peterson, Lamar Jones, George Beall.

Third Row: Harry Newell, Walter Noble, Horace Kent, Richard LeSueur, John Hamblin.

Second Row: Gertrude Law, Lola Gylling, Rachel Ann Love, Darlene Thompson, Jeanette Hemphill, Frieda Davis, Wayne Legg.

Front Row: Colleen Mortensen, Beth Payne, Mona Urrea, Bertie Hogle, Dorothy Van Spanckeren, Martha Robertson, Betty Ann Cooper, Betsy Jones, Peggy Page.

#### M CLUB

Back Row: Sacramento Ortiz, Larry Bowers, Don Marksbury, Jack Willis, Don Quigley, Jack Cathey.

Fourth Row: Clare Turley, Ross Farnsworth, Gene Tschumi, George Beall, Dean Willis, Don Hunt, Wayne Randall, Jim Jones, Richard LeSueur, Milford Dorsett.

Third Row: Bill Patterson, Don McClintock, June Webb, Richard McCleave, Roy McClellan, Sonny Armenta, Gary Feezor, Masumi Ikeda, Delwyn Gardner.

Second Row: Reed Vance, Bill Baker, Dan Russell, Bill Glazier, Gene Johnston, Bill Asher, Floyd Judd, Charlie Stephens, Jack Schahrer, Richard Ledbetter.

Front Row: Franklin Gibson, Floyd Wright, Bruce Thompson, Bill Riggs, Bill Workman, Bob Oates, James Tenny, Jim Horne.







#### MASQUE and DAGGER

Back Row: Wayne Legg, Dick Bailey, Fred Johnson, Garth Skousen.  
 Second Row: John Matthews, David Roman, Peggy Roley, Eleanor Johnson, Alice Jean Bond, Dorothy Martineau, Morris Rollins, John Large.  
 Front Row: Beth Payne, Carolyn Cox, Connie Brown, Mr. Juleff, Mary Ann Gaglione, Frieda Davis, Bertie Hogle, Ann Nelson.



#### LES AMIS

Back Row: Pat Pomeroy, Jack Huffaker, Lamar Jones, Ray Russell, Mr. Wells, Mark Meldrum, Richard Heywood, Douglas Shepherd, Glenn Peterson.  
 Third Row: Ross Farnsworth, Jim Jones, Horace Kent, Richard LeSueur, Richard Ledbetter, Dan Russell, Bill Workman.  
 Second Row: Delores Stansbury, Margie Asher, Lena Gylling, Venia Allen, Velma Workman, Frieda Nielson, Louis Crandall.  
 Front Row: Jacquelyn DeRosier, Louise Calhoun, Mona Urrea, Eva Sue Johnson, Martha Ellsworth, Mary Helen Nowell, Carol Standage, Lee Ann Dana, Marilyn Kent.







#### F. H. A.

**Back Row:** Eleanor Unnerwheer, Ruth Kleinman, Esther Manning, Lillian Marteneau, Louise Johnson, Dorene Denham, Audrey Coombs, Elaine Haws.

**Front Row:** Mitzi Buckley, Edna Appleton, Nell Heywood, Mary Lou Goodman, Sue Enloe, Joanne Popin, Audrey Voss, Mrs. Hewett, Irene Millet, June O'Barr, Francis Gagli-one.



#### F. F. A.

**Back Row:** Robert Sirrine, Lloyd Mercer, Andrew Williams, Clyde Farr, Everett Underwood, Robert Mitchell.

**Fourth Row:** Russel Bendure, Paul James, Jim Stuckman, Dale Clarkson, Dale Nichols, Jerry Frost, Talmage Huber, Gordon Morris, Milford Cluff, James Barnes, Jimmy Haggard, John Allen.

**Third Row:** Lee Huber, Donald Nicoll, Charles Myers, Eugene Mayhue, Gerald Stapley, Darrel Taylor, Douglas Langford, Harry Jones, Bob Goodman, Harold Isley, Lores Mitchell, Bob Bradfield, William Parsons.

**Second Row:** Larry Johnson, Lloyd Halverson, Gerald Pew, Vern Plumb, Joe Spracale, Bill Arndt, Bryan Brown, George Stackman, Melvin Jones, William Pittman, Paul Mitchell, Wayne Thompson.

**Front Row:** Derrell Owen Skousen, Bill Baker, Thomas Brinkerhoff, George Dutcher, Grant Haymore, Eddie Harmon, Kenneth Allen, Moses Cobb, Keith Wendt.



#### ARTS and CRAFTS

**Back Row:** Frank Haggard, Alma Holt, Dee Dee Curtis, Sonia Seissmayr, Frank Goodman.

**Front Row:** Darral Bush, Barbara Oates, Ann Buchsbaum, Ann Thompson.



#### RIFLE CLUB

**Back Row:** Nielson Curtis, Charles Grutzmacher, Kent Hilton, Leonard Adair, David Peterson, David Saba.

**Front Row:** Roy Miller, Bill Patterson, Bob Oates, Bill Briscoe, Earl Turley, Rod Christian, Peter Nelson, Howard Roberts, Dick Springer.



#### RACQUET CLUB

**Back Row:** Maxwell Taylor, Pat Pomeroy, Dale McClaws, Milo LeBaron, Warren Schofield, Howard Roberts, Harold Alexander.

**Second Row:** Charlene Ray, Colleen Heiner, Nita Jo Harmon, Elizabeth Miller, Georgia Giragi, Carole McPhee, Helen Crofford, Helen Ong.

**Front Row:** Coach Cox, Stanley Duke, Edwin Hodge, Doris Fennison, Ramona Freeman, Jo Frye (Godfrey), Beverly Lindley, Pauline Upton, Venla Allen.







#### TUMBLERS

Back Row: Granville Wright, Wayne Martin, Ervin Rowley, Mr. Cockrell.  
Front Row: Ned Reed, Thurbert Dodge, Earl Vance, Norman Higgins.

#### WRESTLERS and BOXERS

Back Row: Joe Arvayo, Joe Macias, Harry Newell, Granville Wright, Dick Bailey, Gene Tschumi.  
Front Row: Carlos Garcia, Tim Debose, Wallace Cook, Frank Valenzuela, Tom Jones, Eddie Lane.







#### BOOTS and SADDLES

**Back Row:** Geraldine Click, Jacqueline Tripp, Dee Dee Curtis, Darline Dutcher, Charlotte Todd, Beverly Hodson.  
**Second Row:** Sonya Seissmayr, Sondra Le Velle, Helen Wayley, Bonnie Toole, Janice Neal, Arlene Goodman.  
**Front Row:** Lou Ella Riddle, Pauline Watkins, Verda Dell West, Darral Bush, Lois Tucker, Beverly Nichols, Katherine Weber.



#### LATIN AMERICAN

**Back Row:** Beatrice Figueroa, Connie Rivas, Rita Ruiz, Olga Mae Flores, Armida Garcia, Mercy Cortez, Delia Ezcurra.  
**Third Row:** Sarah Cortez, Nadine Gonzalas, Gloria Flores, Carolina Quijada, Juanita Martinez, Delia Ortiz, Bertha Sandoval, Dolores Sigala, Josephine Tacho.  
**Second Row:** Carmen Escobedo, Rosalva Pena, Sally Robles, Silvina Jimenez, Evangeline Armenta, Nellie Miranda, Margaret Arriaga, Gloria Armenta, Juanita Perez.  
**Front Row:** Sid Chavez, Chad Denham, Henry Arroyo, Joe Arvayo, Carlos Garcia.







#### DANCE CLUB

**Back Row:** Wyola Schoffner, Alene Sullivan, Sherlene Heywood, Jeanette Harmon, Jolene Jensen, Betty Mortensen, Melva Lee O'Donnal.  
**Third Row:** Betty Chapman, Louise Calhoun, Janece Ferrin, Kathleen Moore, Vada Starks, Bonnie Walker, Dixie Dana, Beth Payne, Frieda Davis.  
**Second Row:** Ann Sorensen, Jo Ann Moody, Helen Harper, Sharon Powell, Kay Schofield, Neva Kirby, Marjorie Petersen, Barbara Kelly, Dona Lou Bond, Verba Johnston, Cherie Cluff.  
**Front Row:** Marilyn Edwards, Beth Matthews, Lavonne Gilbert, Nola Rae Elder, Mary Ann Gaglione, Miss Weber, Mae Jennings, Evangeline Davis, Barbara Farr, Patsy Hostetter.



#### SCIENCE SERVICE

**Back Row:** Herbert Sargent, Kent Hilton, Tom Brantner, Don McNair.  
**Front Row:** Paul Shipley, Betty Jean Forbach, Lola Mae Randall, Loren Guthrie, Eleanor White.



#### PROF CLUB

**Left to Right:** Edith Boulden, Lola Mae Randall, Wayne Legg, Betty Hartley, Margie Hartley, Hannah Boulden, Mr. Donaldson.

#### SONGSTERS

**Back Row:** Lowell Hunter, Jack Coggins, Marilyn Porter, Norman Higgins, John Matthews.  
**Front Row:** Dawne Lancaster, Jean Arrington, Darlene Utterback, Bonita Thompson, Doris Cooper, Luella James, Yvonne Lancaster.



#### SWING CLUB

**Back Row:** Chad Denham, Richard Heywood, Douglas Shepherd, Tina Naretto, Janice Cummins, Edwin Hodge, Robert Gildehouse.  
**Front Row:** Horace Kent, Richard LeSueur, John Hamblin, Melva Lee O'Donnal, Jack Rye, Jimmy Cockrell, Jack Hogle, Dean Larsen.



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Bill  
 Foster

New students enjoying the party given by Les Amis,  
 one of the last parties held in the club room.

In behalf of the Mesa clubs, Bob Petrie presents Marjorie Entz, the advisor of the marching squad, with a beautiful watch. Others at the table are Harvey Taylor and Oakley Jordan.





# Memorable Occasions

During the year there were many parties for individual groups, rather than everyone.

The Les Amis club gave a party in the club room for all the new students, giving them a chance to get acquainted with one another, the superintendent, and the student body officers.

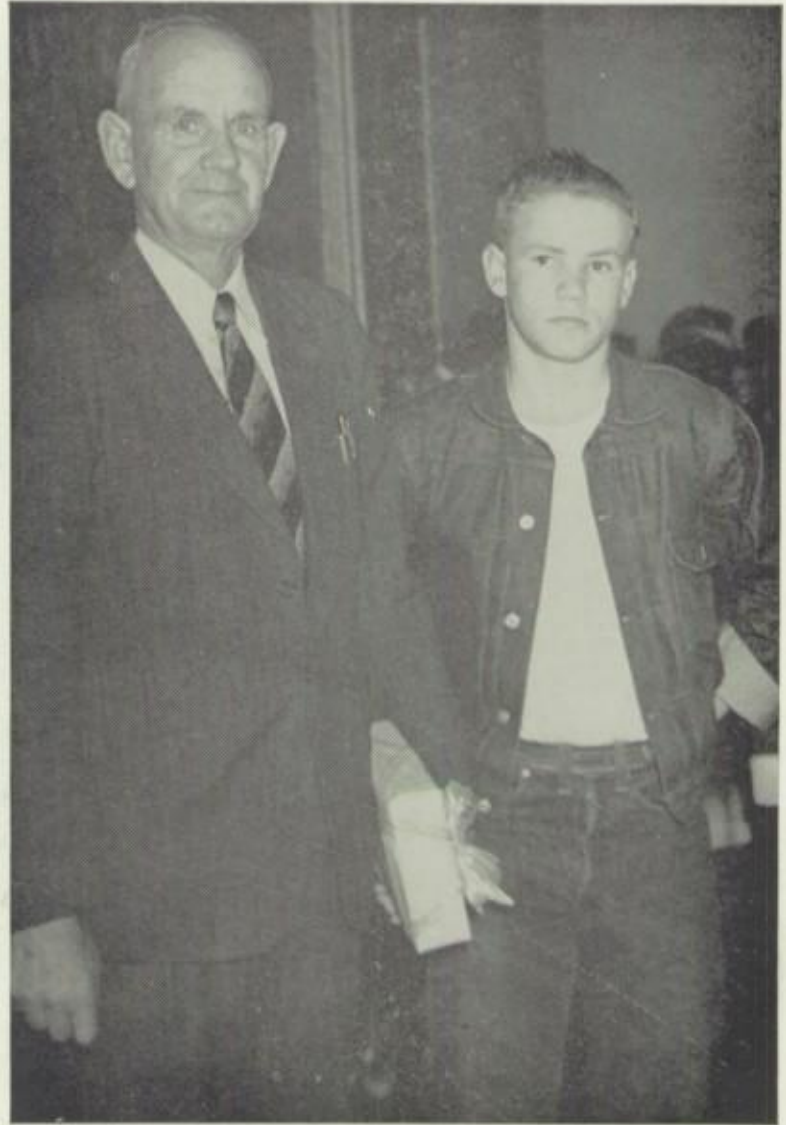
The service clubs of Mesa honored the teams, marching squad and band with a big banquet and program in the gym to celebrate the winning of the 1947 football championship.

All the girls of Mesa High paid tribute to their mothers at the lovely Mothers' and Daughters' tea. A beautiful style show was presented, depicting fashion trends down through the years. Refreshments were served in the west patio by the four classes.

After that, the fellows honored their dads at the Fathers' and Sons' banquet. A program was given in the auditorium, and then a Spanish dinner was served in the gym.

Using the Prom decorations, the underclassmen enjoyed the annual Freshman-Sophomore hop. They danced to the music of the popular "Swing Club."

The four classes each had several parties of their own. Some of these were desert parties, dances in the gym and the senior party at the Lost Dutchman cafe.



The oldest father, Mr. Willard Jones, and his son Lamar stand in the food line at the Father and Son Party.

"Plenty for all," both of food and entertainment, seems to be the main idea of the big banquet sponsored by the service clubs







As little rain drops make up a puddle so does it take a large group of individuals to make up the pool of high school life



Dear Rod

Love Belle.

Dear Rod -  
 Mom's wishing you the  
 best of luck to a good luck,  
 football season. Good luck,  
 Richard

Dear Rod.  
Here's wishing  
of luck and  
year.

soon. To  
Richard  
I have a lot  
of love next  
to me  
Sincerely  
Jack

~~DON ALLEN~~



As the bluest of waters sparkle with life,  
 Youth mirrors a reflection in beauty and strife.  
 In the world of today they work with ambition;  
 To many wide fields they're an important addition.  
 Like small spouting geysers; jobs open each year,  
 Filled by those with high standards that all nations hold dear.  
 Fine arts hold a place in countries near and afar,  
 And those with the will, can climb to a star.

Bob - We'll be we have had  
 a lot of fun haven't we?  
 been on B.L.C. this year  
 so that I wish you had have  
 have given us a  
 party.

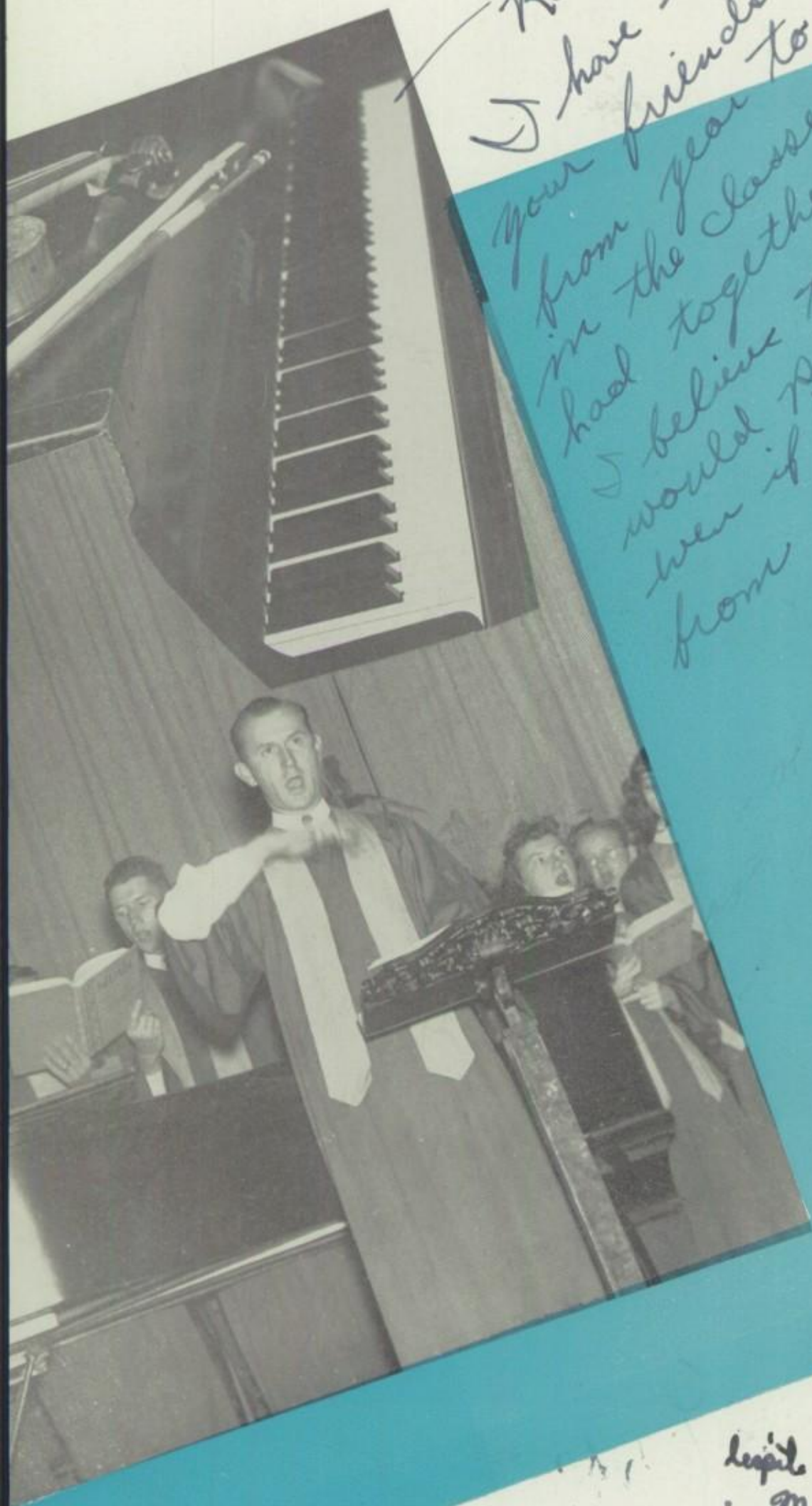
Good Luck to a  
 swell fellow!

Don't  
 Jean



Good  
 Luck





Rod -  
I have enjoyed  
your friendship  
from year to year  
in the classes we have  
had together - "History"  
I believe that history book  
would put me to sleep  
even if I'd just got up  
from a weeks nap.  
Always a  
pal  
David Peterson

Rod - your ability to sleep,  
despite all, in Algebra has won my ~~the~~ envy.  
May you never lose that gift. You are O.S.!!

Pet



# *"Pirates of Penzance" was a big success*

The curtain has fallen but the memory still lingers of "The Pirates of Penzance", the most finished production of a Gilbert and Sullivan operetta ever given in Mesa High School.

The setting of the story was the coast of England. When the handsome Frederick (Jack Cathey) was a little lad, his very plain nurse, Ruth (Edna Appleton), through a misunderstanding apprenticed him to a band of pirates. Although Frederick loathed the trade to which he had been bound, he dutifully served and as the curtain rose, having reached his majority he was planning to leave the band and seek a different profession.

Frederick consented to marry Ruth before seeing the beauty of the pompous Major-General Stanley's (John Large) wards. He then renounces Ruth after seeing the overwhelming beauty of Mable (Wanda West). The treacherous pirates seized the girls and threatened marriage, but the Major-General dissuaded them by his pitiful plea that he was an orphan boy.

Meanwhile the scheming Pirate King (Carroll Pennington) and Ruth found that Frederick was born on February 29, therefore he really had had only five birthdays and must remain a pirate until he had had twenty-one. Frederick then told them how the General deceived them into believing he was an orphan, so they seized and bound the Major-General.

It was a very complicated affair until the hero, a red-headed Seargent of Police (Charles Grutzmacher), appeared to straighten things out with the aid of Ruth. The Pirates married the Major-General's wards and the story ended very happily.

Others in the cast were Pete Chase as Samuel; Betsy Jones, Edith; Gloria Flores, Kate; and Charlene Cosper, Isabel.

General Stanley's wards were Donna Mulleneaux, Beth Payne, Darlene Blow, Maxine Woods, Irma Miller, Jeanneanne Reames, Melva Lee O'Donnal, Kathryn Sorenson, Bonnie Hathcock, Josephine MacDougal, Leona Schoffner, Colleen Mortensen and Bette Williams.

Pirates and policemen were Ira Pratt, Ronald Robinson, Billie Adair, Norman Higgins, Lamar Jones, Jack Huffaker, Earl Vance, John Matthews, Melvin Palmer, David Mardis, Arden Rowley, Tom Jones, Wayne Davis, Kenneth Bond, John Ong and Donald Silvis.

The authentic-looking rocks and caves lent an atmosphere of a rugged English coast. The ruins of the castle garden gave a romantic effect to the second scene. These beautiful scenes were built and lighted under the direction of Mr. Griffin Stephenson assisted by Leslie Fairbanks, Orson Spencer, Wayne Masters, Gerald Sanders, and Don Allen. Others who helped were accompanists, Irma Miller and Bettye Ann Cooper; costumes, Marjorie Hewett, Nancy Rhuart, Trelva Merrill; properties, Frank Juleff, Tom Sweeney, Fred Johnson; publicity, Ted Young, Harry Newell, John Large, Martha Robertson, Louis Crandall, Bill Bailey, Elton Lambson; ticket sales, Mid Mason, Francelle Johnson, Don Sparks, senior class; house committee, Eugenie Brandon, Jethroe Hathcock, Esther Calloway.

The operetta was under the direction of Floyd Denton and Herman Bradshaw. This was the fourth of Gilbert and Sullivan operettas performed at Mesa High.

Major General (John Large), and one of the wards (Gloria Flores), spurns the Pirate King (Carol Pennington).



Mable (Wanda West), and Frederick (Jack Cathey), defies Police Sergeant (Charles Grutzmacher).







Frederick tells Ruth (Edna Appleton) that he is leaving her  
A Pirate (Pete Chase) frightens one of the General's Wards, (Charline Cosper).

(Betsy Jones) another of the Major-General's wards is flirting with the Police Sergeant.

Wanda West and Jack Cathey sing "O Leave Me Not"

One Hundred Eleven

Dear Rodrick. It is with  
great pleasure that I am writing  
in your annual class. It has been  
a great pleasure playing football  
with you this year. There is lots  
of luck to a swell guy.  
Love Charles  
Hutzmacher



Mr. Floyd Denton leads advanced boys' chorus in one of their old favorites.

**Front row: left to right—**Floyd Boyd, Don Hunt, Richard Clayton, Edward White, Charles Grutzmacher, Sid Chavez, Eddie Arrington, Granville Wright.

**Second row: left to right—**Lawrence Vance, Jimmy Massey, John Mathews.

**Back row: left to right—**Gene Jones, Elton Lambson, Jose Escobedo, La Verl Slade.



## Creators of Harmony

The A Capella plays an important part in making this school one of the finest in the state. Its performances, whatever the occasion may be, are enjoyed by all. This year, "Twas the Night Before Christmas," arranged by Fred Waring, was presented by the choir, and was proclaimed by most students as the best presentation yet given.

Long hours were spent in preparation for the operetta, "Pirates of Penzance." Major parts were played by outstanding students in the field of music. This year, makes the second successful year for Floyd Denton, director of the group.

One of the most outstanding performances presented by the A Capella was the beautiful vesper service during the Christmas season. This was the second annual presentation of this kind and was well received by the townspeople.

**Back Row: left to right—**Jeananne Reames, Wanda West, Trelva Merrill, Joanne Berry, Wyola Schoffner, Lamar Jones, Delwyn Gardner, Earl Vance, Donald Sylvius, Director Floyd Denton, Kenneth Bond, Jack Coggins, Norman Higgins, Tom Jones, Leona Schoffner, Colleen Mortensen, Carol Standage, Josephine McDougal, Betty Williams.

**Second Row: left to right—**Melva Lee O'Donnal, Anna Mae Stevens, Betty Chapman, Arlene Judkins, Betsy Jones, Ruth James, Betty McAfee, Pete Chase, John Large, Earl Gildehouse, Carroll Pennington, John Mathews, Tom Sweeney, Arden Rowley, Melvin Palmer, Willamina King, Ada Mae Magnusson, Beverly Lindley, Peggy Smith, Kathryn Sorensen.

**Front Row: left to right—**Beth Payne, Maxine Wood, Darlene Blow, Irma Miller, Donna Mulleneaux, Ronald Robinson, Ira Pratt, Jack Huffaker, Wayne Davis, John Ong, Edna Appleton, Vonetta Fritch, Gloria Flores, Bonnie Hathcock, Onalee Lucas.







The Jivin' Jacks add a lively note to some of the extra curricular activities of the school.

**Back Row:** left to right—Horace Kent, Janice Cummings, Douglas Shepherd, Jack Rye.

**Front Row:** left to right—John Hamblin, Lloyd Boyd, Richard LeSueur, Jimmy Cockrell, Chad Denham, Edwin Hodge.

## Makers of Rhythm

Providing both entertainment and talent this year was the Mesa High ensemble, directed by Linwood Noble. They furnished music for the three major school plays besides performing the difficult task of accompanying the chorus at the operetta.

A Christmas medley composed of "Jingle Bells" and "White Christmas" was one of the many special arrange-

ments offered by the organization. They were equally at ease playing popular or classical music.

Composed of thirty-two members, they were one of the most outstanding musical groups the school has ever had.

They will also play an important part in the baccalaureate service, by joining with the A Capella chorus to provide the music for the most inspiring service of the year. Adding zestful entertainment to our three major school plays, they spent long hours in preparing appropriate selections.

**Back Row:** left to right—Gail Hilton, Marilyn Porter, Horace Kent, Marilyn Kent, Mr. Noble.

**Second Row:** left to right—Betty Ann Cooper, Florence Kilpatrick, Harry Reed, Delbert Boley, Louis Horne, Jack Rye, Jim Springer, Gary Lines, Wayne Crandall, John Hamblin.

**Front Row:** left to right—Walter Noble, Martha Robertson, LaVar Jones, Darlene Thompson, Sarah O'Donnal, Lee Huber, Velma Skousen, Frank Pina, Maria Keyser, Joan Davis.







**Back Row:** Leona Coates, Ann Sorenson, Barbara Kelly, Joyce Huber, Davena Greer, Doris Clubb, Nellie Ward, Joyce Huffaker, Luella Stapley, Donalee Andersen. **Sixth Row:** Ella Mae Young, Dorothea Riley, Norma Knudsen, Rena Elder, Joanne Berry, Louis Rhoton, June Bishop, Norma Urrea, Ruth Kleinman, Lilly Nichols, Arabelle Wilkinson. **Fifth Row:** Frieda Nielson, Gloria Flores, Beth Mathews, Maxine Rowley, Rachel Ann Love, Betty Jean Forbach, Merle Johnson, Betty Baker, Jo Ann Moody, Nola Rae Elder. **Fourth Row:** Cora La Rue, Priscilla Dingman, Vada Starks, Wyola Schoffner, Marvine Gilbert, Bonna Cheney, Louise Johnson, Edna Appleton, Arleen Mortenson, Ethel Mortensen. **Third Row:** Mabel Austin, Caroline Cox, Barbara Whitman, Betty Chapman, Patsy Hostetter, Jo Ann Manlove, Jeanette Harmon, Sylvia Markovitz, Audrey Coombs, Anna Rae Vance, Lee Etta Wilkins. **Second Row:** Betty Owens, Mary Ann Gaglione, Frances Gaglione, Doris Wood, Kay Schofield, Jacquelyn DeRosier, Connie Brown, Marilyn Edwards, Belva Bunch, Marjorie Peterson. **First Row:** Cherie Cluff, Lavonne Gilbert, Mary Lou West.

Adding color and entertainment to Mesa's football games this year were the Rabbettes and Jackrabbit band directed by Marjorie Entz and Katherine Weber, and Linwood Noble.

This year the members of the squad chose the name of "Rabbettes." A list of names was submitted by the girls and then voted upon by them. "Rabbettes" was unanimously chosen as the distinguishing title for the squad.

The marching squad designed and ordered a pin which will become the official pin for the Rabbettes.

The squad was organized by Bobby Petrie in 1931 as a pep club called "Peppettes" with thirty-five members and has worked up to this year's membership of 104. It consisted of nineteen ropers, twenty twirlers and sixty-five regular marchers. The twirlers and ropers did a series of routines with their ropes and batons while the marchers did routines with gold lariats which added much color to their performances.

During the war, the marching squad wore white military uniforms and carried American flags. This year a deluxe western costume was an outstanding attraction at the Citrus Parade, State Fair, where they were chosen by the Arizona Republic as the "most outstanding high school band and marching squad in the state;" the Phoenix Jaycee Rodeo Parade; the Rawhide Round-up and the Jaycee Christmas Parade.

Many formations with the band were performed at

**Tenth Row:** Earl Gildehous, Rae Brimhall, Norman C. Lillian Martineau, Dale Nichols, Wayne Crandall. **Eighth Row:** Martineau, Ruth Reece, Stanley Hemphill. **Seventh Row:** Schnepf, Richard Williams. **Sixth Row:** Jack Rye, Dw. Lancaster. **Fifth Row:** Betty Ann Cooper, Horace K. **Fourth Row:** Florence Kilpatrick, Martha Robertson. **Third Row:** Linwood Noble, Robert Gildehous, Ernie C. Mortensen, Wilford Crandall, Walter Noble, Vivian Gil. Richard Hodson, Dean Larsen.





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**Back Row:** Verba Johnston, Dora June Young. **Eighth Row:** Dixie Dana, Gay Merrill, Jo Ann Franks, Joyce Nichols, Jeanette Hemphill. **Seventh Row:** Marvel Nichols, Nita Bradshaw, Sybil Lamoreaux, Delia Ortiz, Peggy Page. **Sixth Row:** Merle Ray, Elaine Haws, Barbara Lorrillard, Patsy Hancock, Aliene Sullivan. **Fifth Row:** Louise Johnson, Joyce Sargent, Billie Jo Featherstone, Ann Nelson, Irelta Blau. **Fourth Row:** Sherlene Heywood, Mary White, Naomi Faith, Eva Sue Johnson, Frieda Nielson. **Third Row:** Gertrude Law, Georgia Ricks, Mary Bunch, Roma Heiner, Maxine Woolsey (Tidwell). **Second Row:** Jo Frye (Godfrey), Alice Martin, Bobby James, Patsy Anderson, Joyce Curtis. **First Row:** Christine Clarkson, Wilna Lamoreaux.

**Row:** Alice Rider, Marilyn Porter, Jeannine Slade, John Hamblin, Gary Lines, Yvonne Heiner, Dorothy Ogle, Gail Willis, Don McClintock, Merlin Schurz, Jack Richard Heywood, Wilola Dyson, Delbert Boley, Don Ogle, Nelda Rogers, Nadine Gonzales, Colleen Heiner, Bouse, Don Johnson, Jack Cathey, Douglas Shepherd, Hodge, Eddie Lane, Louis Horne. **Second Row:** Colleen Denham, Jean Stephens. **First Row:** John Large,



*Dean Rod  
of home  
see you around  
next year.  
Beverly  
Larsen*

half-time, during the football games. Some of the most outstanding were the wagon wheel, made by the marchers forming the six spokes and the band forming the rim. The ropers and twirlers formed two wheels. The revolving of the wheels to the tune of "Wagon Wheels" made a very impressive sight. A chapel and a cross was done at Thanksgiving time. The marching squad in a line across the field did a tricky dance step to the tune of "Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight."

Providing many laughs was the school mascot, "Jack Rabbit," portrayed by Richard Hodson. The band always had music to fit the performances. An example of this was the Christmas medley composed of the White Christmas, Jingle Bells and all the old familiar Christmas Carols.

The Rabbettes practiced with the band early in the week before each performance and memorized each drill. Leading the drills were Lavonne Gilbert, head leader; Cherie Cluff and Mary Lou West, line leaders; Christine Clarkson, leader of the twirlers; Wilna Lamoreaux, leader of the ropers.

The band this year had John Large, expert twirler, perform with them. He also won the state twirling contest. Dean Larsen was the drum major for the band.

The costumes for the marchers were navy blue and mustard gold shirts with white vaquero ties, tan corduroy skirts with navy blue leatherette fringe, white cowboy boots and white felt hats. The ropers wore the same costume with the exception of blue corduroy shorts instead of the skirts.





Jonathan (John Large) threatens Elaine (Dee Dee Curtis) as Dr. Einstein (Garth Skousen) looks on.



The two aunts (Eleanor Johnson and Peggy Roley) tell Teddy (Fred Johnson) he has to lead an expedition to Panama. Poppy (Trelva Merrill) reads to Ambrose Applejack (Morris Rollins).

## Stars In the Making

Under the direction of F. H. Bradshaw and F. C. Juleff, the dramatic department presented three of the most difficult and enjoyable plays the student body has ever seen.

The first three act play "Captain Applejack" was a comedy about a methodical person who craved for a change. This was portrayed by Morris Rollins. Trelva Merrill played Pappy Faire, a young lady who practically knocked herself out to get Ambrose and her rival for him, Anna Valeska was played by Louise Calhoun. Jack Coggins, played Ivan Borodsky, a tough Russian spy, and Jack Matthews was really a panic as the butler Lush.

Other characters were David Roman as Horace Penguard, Sarah O'Donnel as Aunt Agatha, Eleanor Johnson as Mrs. Penguard, Fred Johnson as Dennet, and Melvin Palmer as Johnny Jason.

The second three act play, "Arsenic and Old Lace" which was also a comedy, revolves around two old maid sisters, Eleanor Johnson, and Peggy Roley, who love to give their guests a little drink of their famous elderberry wine which contains poison. Their brother, who thinks he is Teddy Roosevelt, was portrayed by Fred Johnson. The hero of the comedy, Mortimer, was portrayed by Jack Coggins. John Large played the terrifying part of brother Jonathan and his side kick Dr. Einstein was played by Garth Skousen.







Dr. Einstein prepares to give Mortimer (Jack Coggins) an operation.  
awaiting the thieves

The rest of the cast included Reverend, Lowell Hunter; Officer Brophy, Dick Bailey; Klein, Lee Coleman; Elaine, Dee Dee Curtis; Mr. Gibbs, Norman Higgins; Officer O'Hara, Melvin Palmer; Lieutenant Rooney, David Mardis and Witherspoon, Pete Chase.

"The Bat", a suspense filled mystery, was the last three-act play to be presented. It revolved around murders and mysterious happenings in a country estate on Long Island. To add to the eerie atmosphere was a fierce storm, raging outside the house while the occupants searched for a murderer, a hidden room and one million dollars. The play was climaxed by a thrilling and exciting ending with the murderer still at large until the last few breath taking moments. The play has a Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde characteristic—the criminal turns out to be the reliable detective portrayed by Garth Skousen.

Playing the comedy role of Lizzie Allen, the zany maid, was Beth Payne. Her employer, the rich and domineering Miss Cornelia Van Gorder, was portrayed by Charline Cosper. Miss Van Gorder's beautiful niece, Dale Ogden was Leona Coates, and Fred Johnson played her suspected boy friend, Jack Bailey, alias Brooks.

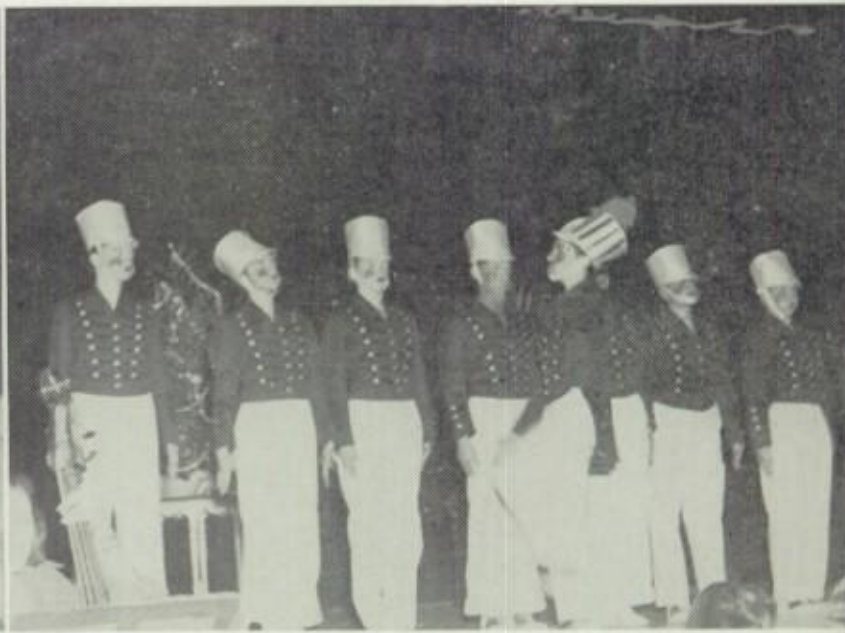
Supporting the main cast was Garth Skousen as Detective Anderson; Jack Coggins as Doctor Wells; Louis Crandall, Billy the Japanese butler; David Mardis, Richard Fleming; Melvin Pearce as Reginald Beresford and John Kaze as the unknown man.

The property manager was Gerald Stapley; assistant property manager, Lin Ellsworth; sound effects, Anita Jo Harmon; and stage manager, Orson Spencer.

The crew prepares to rebel against the captain







An Italian favorite is sung by the University of Southern California A Cappella.



"When the Yanks raised the Stars and Stripes on Iwo Jima Isle," is depicted by Lehi students in a patriotic pageant.





Jack Coggins interviews a nice old lady, Sally O'Donnal, in the Christmas assembly.

The dance club presents a clever imitation of a squad of toy soldiers.

North Phoenix boys show what would happen "If Men Played Bridge Like Women Do".

## Assemblies for All

This year, the students wiped their eyes because the activity period was abolished. Because of this, and crowded conditions, it was necessary to have double-assemblies.

Each double assembly was forty-five minutes long. The old building and the seminary students went to the first assembly, and the new building, the shops, the band, the gym and the cottage students went to the second assembly.

There were comparatively few assemblies this year because it was impossible to cut into class work all the time since there was no activity period.

During the year there were six National assemblies. The one most remembered was the one on liquid air. Some of the others included lectures, singing, and a magician.

The seniors, juniors, sophomores, and freshmen, each gave its own class program. One number that won't be forgotten was the sophomore can-can dance.

One of the best special assemblies of the year was a blind zylophonist who entertained the students and gave some well-remembered jokes.

Some other top assemblies were the North High exchange, the patriotic Lehi rededication, the delightful Christmas story, the spooky Halloween program, the St. Parick's day, and Hank Milano's group.

Of course, there were the never-to-be-forgotten hilarious football skits at the first of the year and the enthusiastic pep assemblies throughout the school year.

The Latin American Club, celebrating Pan American Day, presented a program which featured several Spanish numbers. Their song and dance specialties were all done in the elaborate native costumes of Mexico. In addition to high school students there were guest entertainers, two of which were small boys, who were well received by the student body.

Mrs. William Brayman presents an unusual Saint Patrick's assembly by playing Irish melodies and requests on her electric organ.





# EDITORS

## *Dummy*

### *Recorders of Time*

Starting out entirely "green" this year, the Superstition staff has worked long and hard to bring this annual to the students. It is the final outcome of many hours of tedious work and represents the goal the staff has strived to achieve.

Work on the Superstition began early. First, the theme, "Water" was chosen. This was chosen because of the large state questions which have arisen over this one necessity of life. Next, the main body of the staff was selected so construction could begin right away; pictures were taken, each student having an individual picture for the first time since 1942; plaques were cut and pasted; and the dummy was



Frieda Davis, editor



**Back Row:** Bill Wood, Jack Cathey, Harry Newell, David Roman, Lily Nichols, Neva Kerby, Irene Millett, Gerald Sanders, Donald Allen, Bill Bailey.

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**Second Row:** Donna Brinton, Maxine Norr, Colleen Mortensen, Reta Carr, Gertrude Law, Irelta Blau, Frieda Davis, Peggy Roley, Cherlie Cluff, Bertie Hogle, Ann Nelson, Anita Cox.

**Front Row:** June Webb, Louis Crandall, Melvin Pearce, Hugh Johnson, Bruce Hancock, Elton Lambson.





Back Row: left to right—Ann Nelson, Beth Payne, Leona Coates, Lilly Nichols, Norman Calhoun, Gloria Davis, Elladene Dana, Betty Asher, Marjorie Peterson, Mark Meldrum, Cherie Cluff.

Second Row: left to right—Helen Dong, Billie Jo Kramer, Lue Deen Marten, Neva Kerby, Mary Ann Gaglione, Marianna Huish.

Front Row: left to right—Carolyn Cox, Annabelle Petrie, Harry Newell, Sue Enloe, Connie Brown.

drawn up. By the end of the first semester, copy was being sent to and returned from the printers.

The second semester brought with it, as far as the Superstition was concerned, a more completed look and a stepped up schedule. All ad sales were finished, copy all written, and page proofs corrected; so by the end of the fifth six weeks period, the annual was finally in shape to be sent to the printers.

The annual staff hopes the student body enjoys this book. Special recognition goes to those students who helped the staff in various ways: Kenneth McCleve, Milford Dorsett, Loraina Udall, Bill Glazier, George Beall, Ramona Freeman, Frieda Nielson, Dick Bailey, and many others.

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*Hi Rod wish to you the  
best wish luck on the  
next year's team  
football a good  
Hazel Young*







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Student Matinee  
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February 5

MESA HIGH SCHOOL

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## Grandma Will be Featured at Tea Girls League Will Present Now Too Old To Dream

Old to Dream will be the theme of this Daughter's Tea to be held Monday afternoon in the large auditorium and patio under the stars. The Girls' League president, Mrs. Sara O'Donnell, will take the part of the old woman dreaming of years gone by, in an original skit by Mrs. Florence Harper.

Models and Clothes  
by Andre Voss, her  
Calhoun  
Togs



## "Arsenic And Old Lace" Chosen For Second Long Play

"Arsenic and Old Lace," the second big school play, will be presented to the school the afternoon of February 5, 1948, and to the public in the evening performance. The play is under the direction of F. C. Juleff. The first presentation of Arsenic and Old Lace, was at the Fulton Theatre, New York, on August 18, 1941. It was later made into a successful motion picture, by 20th Century Fox, starring Cary Grant.

The members of the cast and the parts they play are: Abby—Eleanor Johnson, the Reverend—Lowell Hunter, Teddy—Fred Johnson, Officer Brophy—Dick Johnson, Peggy—Lee Coleman, Martha—Curtis, Royce, Elaine—Martha, Mr. Gibbs—Norman Higgins, Jonathan—John Large, Dr. Elmer—Garth Skousen, Officer—Melvin Palmer, Lieutenant—David Mardis, and Willy—Pete Chase.

## It's a Date

Thursday January 22 — Faculty  
Woman's Club.  
Friday January 23 — Coolidge Basketball—there.  
Saturday, January 24—Yuma Basketball—there.  
Monday, January 26—Mothers and Daughters Tea—School out at 10 o'clock.  
Friday, January 30 — Union basketball here.  
Saturday, January 31 — Basketball—here.  
Tuesday, February 3 — out.

## Xmas Forr Enjoyed

A large crowd of couples danced to the music of Walter H. at the ball sponsored by the sponsors on Dec.

## Double Staff To Edit Paper

Because approximately seventy students have registered for advertising journalism, next semester the Jackrabbit will be put out by two staffs, Staff A and Staff B, under the direction of one editor-in-chief, G. T. Young, journalist.

Melvin Pearce, editor

Sue Enloe, assistant editor

Priscilla Dingman, photographer

# Dispatchers of News, Recorders of History

The Jackrabbit staffs have done a fine job of bringing to the student body, every other Tuesday, the school paper, the Jackrabbit. Under the guidance of G. T. Young, the journalism department has become one of the most outstanding departments of the school with an enrollment of 128 students. Because of this increase in enrollment, it was necessary, for the first time, to have dual staffs the second semester.

The first semester staff, with Melvin Pearce editor, had a little difficulty at the beginning of the year because of a small enrollment in publications laboratory classes and advanced journalism classes. By putting the fundamentals of journalism classes to work right away, with a lot of perseverance and hard work, they were able to bring out an excellent paper.



The two second semester staffs, A and B, were both larger than the first semester staff. They took turns in editing the Jackrabbit, each staff putting out four papers. They were, also, headed by Melvin Pearce, who acted as editor-in-chief for both semesters. This is the second time in ten years one student has served as editor for more than one semester.

This year, under the sanction of the advisory council of the University of Arizona and the directors of the Arizona Interscholastic Association, a journalism conference was held on the campus of the University on May 1. G. T. Young, publications advisor, Melvin Pearce, Jackrabbit editor, and Sue Enloe, assistant editor, attended. The conference was called to discuss common problems and exchange ideas and experiences with delegates from other schools. It is planned to make this an annual affair.

The Jackrabbit for the first semester was awarded First Class Honor rating by the National Scholastic Press Association, an organization that criticizes and rates papers from schools all over the United States.

One of the outstanding features of this year's publication was the comic strip, "Little Willie." "Little Willie" is the brain child of Melvin Pearce and Louis Crandall. The editorial cartoons by Bruce Hancock and Brian Evans have also added to the attractiveness of the paper as well as making it more interesting.

The beginning journalism class was put on its own to edit one issue of the paper this last semester, the May 4 issue. It is principally from this group of students that the next year's staff will come.

The last issue of the paper was a senior edition put out by the seniors of both staffs. While they were working on this issue the juniors laid plans for next year.



Sue Ann Cheadle, editor



Dick Worthen, advisor

## *El Conejo Reappears*

The El Conejo, a creative magazine written and edited by the students of Mesa High, was published again this year. The El Conejo has not been published for four years, because of the fact that there was no teacher with enough extra time to act as advisor.

The El Conejo has had many contests to select the best original material submitted by talented students of Mesa.

The contests were won by the following students: short stories, Lewis Horne and poems, Jack Coggins.

All of the pages with copy were mimeographed by Walter Noble, and the pages with pictures were printed on the offset press at the Mesa Tribune office.

Dick Worthen acted as sponsor of the El Conejo and Sue Ann Cheadle, a senior, was the editor. The staff consisted of students from English V and VI classes.



**Back Row:** Mr. Worthen, Ruth Ebel, Audree Voss, Joan Poppin, Bruce Hancock, Gerald Bracey.

**Front Row:** Elton Lambson, Jimmy Cockrell, William Johnson, Helen Dong, Sue Ann Cheadle, Doris Wood, Mildred Stewart.







Like the pounding roar of the ocean dark,  
 Interest grows in a social affair;  
 Soon everyone gathers to take part  
 As they learn to receive and share.  
 These activities resemble the spreading sea,  
 Gaining power by pulling together,  
 And those, concerned always strive to please  
 By lending a hand to another.



Dear Rod,  
 I have been three years  
 I have known you who have  
 been the best of friends. I  
 hope that friendships will  
 never stop.  
 Best of luck in everything  
 you do -

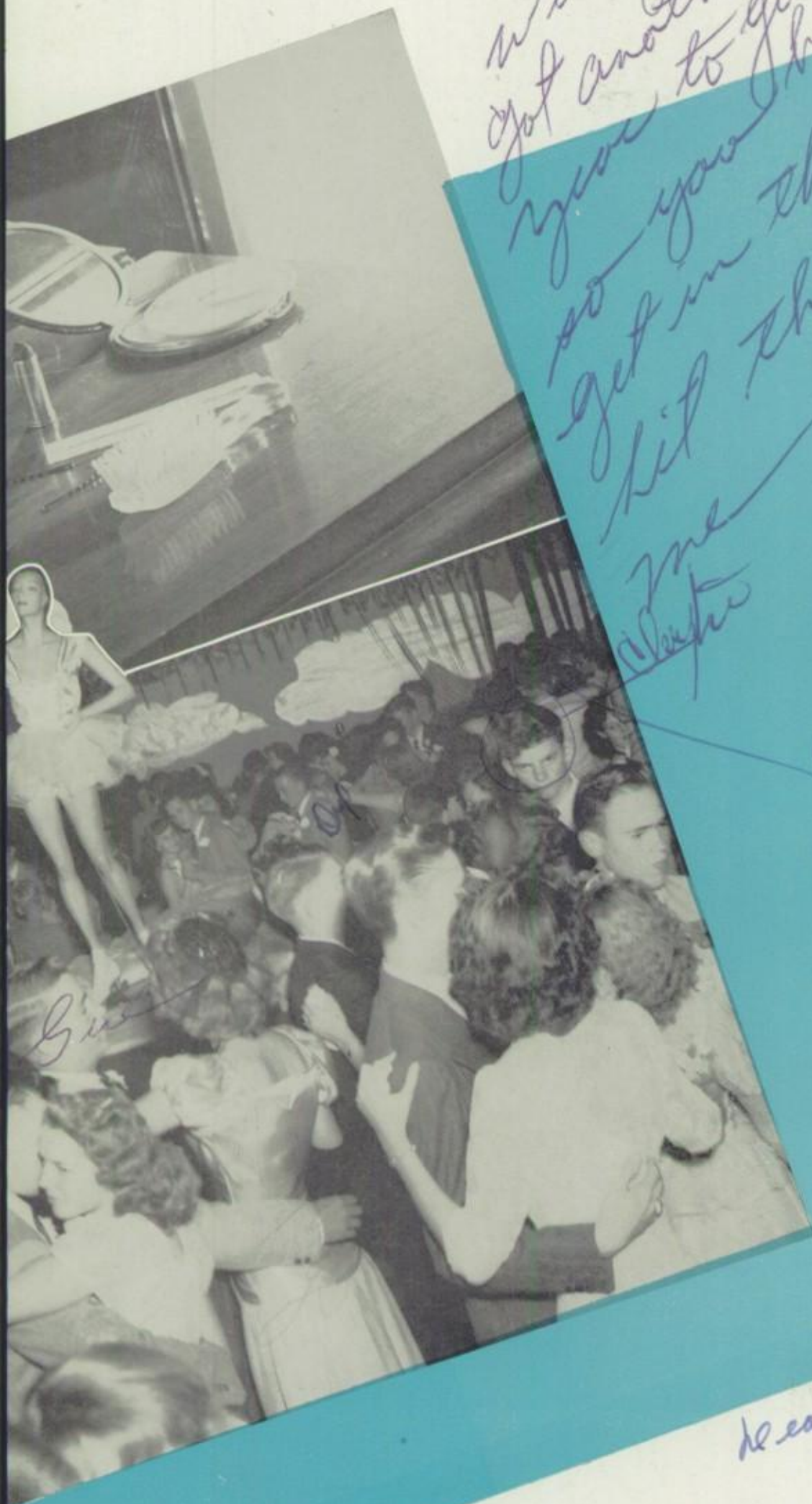
Always  
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will you  
 get another  
 you to go  
 so you had better  
 get in there and  
 hit them and be  
 me  
 the

Gene  
 Photo

Willie



Dear Rod,  
 Good luck in  
 every thing you do.  
 It's been swell  
 knowing you in high  
 school. See you next  
 year. a friend,  
 Norma  
 Knudson





The Hello Party, the first party of the year, was held on the tennis courts. It was sponsored by the Student Council.

## *Annual Dances Were Enjoyed by Many*

To celebrate the re-opening of school and to welcome the new students and incoming freshmen, the Les Amis club sponsored the annual "Hello Party." This year it was held on the tennis courts where the large crowd enjoyed an evening of dancing and refreshments.

In October, the Girls' League gave the all girl party which was held in the gymnasium. The theme was "Diaper Dance," and all the girls came dressed as infants and had a wonderful time. Lena Gylling, Norma Urrea, Melva Lee O'Donnel, and Mabel Austin won first prize for the best costumes. The girls will long remember Rocking Horse Round Up, Butter Ball Bounce, Toddle Crawl, Bottle Bounce, Droopy Drawers Drag, and Sand Man Serenade. These were the names of some of the dances. The attendance reached over the 250 mark.

After the Yuma football game, a Halloween barn dance was held in the gymnasium. Porter's western band furnished the music. There were also several dances after other football games, all of them well attended.

One of the best attended parties of the year, the Penny Club Carnival, came in December. As usual, a circus theme was used. All the clubs sponsored a booth, selling different kinds of food, confetti, and souvenirs. It is an annual event. Carlos Garcia, Mary Pena were crowned king and queen.

The first formal dance of the year was the Christmas formal, sponsored by the Boys' League. The beautiful decorations in the gymnasium followed the theme of "Rhapsody in Blue." All the guys and gals had a wonderful evening, dancing and romancing to the grand music of Walter Brown's smooth orchestra.

In April, the Latin-American club sponsored the Spanish

One of the largest attended parties was the Penny Club Carnival





*Dear Dad*  
*I sure have been*  
*swearing with you. We*  
*had a lot of fun. eh?*  
*Hope to see you next*  
*year. Lots of love*  
*from*  
*a Pal*  
*Jimmy*  
*Willie*

Everyone enjoyed himself at the Barn Dance, sponsored by the F. A.



Many couples danced to the western music provided by T. Owen Porter's orchestra.

Fiesta. All the decorations were Spanish with Xochimilco, the floating gardens, as the theme. It was very colorful.

The floor show was most interesting and different. The native dances of Latin America included the Mexican Hat dance, interpreted by Carolina and Louis Quijada, Las Jotas danced by Nadine Gonzales, and a song and dance, Manana, by the Cuartette—Carlos Garcia, Henry Arroyo, Sid Chavez and Bertha Sandoval. Gloria Flores sang "Tu Felicidad" and a trio composed of Carlos Garcia, Henry Arroyo and Sid Chavez sang "Cumbanchero."

The last all school get together was the All Campus Party held in May. At this party the four classes competed with one another in relays and other different contests on the football field. One of the most exciting events is the chariot race which has been an annual event for the last four years. A trophy is given to the winning class. Afterwards a dance was held on the tennis courts.

This year the committee chose the idea of an medieval tournament as the theme which gave a new and novel twist to the colorful affair.





Couples dance to the musical strains of Dean Pullin's orchestra.

## *A Southern Dream*

A lovely "Plantation Garden" with the large stately southern mansion, transformed the gym for the 1948 annual Junior-Senior Prom.

The Southern theme, following the plantation idea, featured large white pillars and gardens with shrubs, flowers and vine covered lacy trellises creating a dreamy atmosphere. It was all very lovely.

The beautiful decorations were under the direction of the efficient junior class leaders, Douglas Shepherd, president; Dixie Dana, vice-president and Jane Haymore, secretary. They were assisted by Forrest Cockrell, faculty advisor.

The beautifully dressed girls, and their handsome escorts danced to the rhythmic strains of the Dean Pullins orchestra.

Guests entered the gardens through the flower-covered arbor, designed by Margie Asher, Jeanette Hemphill and Joan Franks.

Southern scenes and silhouettes of dancing couples covered the north and south walls. They were decorated by Jane Haymore, Rachel Ann Love and Elladene Dana.

The very delightful and entertaining floorshow was provided by little Amy Jo McLaws playing southern melodies on her accordion; Jack Cathey with a vocal solo entitled "Beautiful Dreamer" and Carlyn Cox and Connie Brown dancing a light tap dance to the tune of "Dinah."



The prize waltz was won by the smooth steps of Frank New and Aliene Sullivan.

Other decorating committees were: ceiling, Mary Helen Nowell, Jeanette Harmon, Glenn Peterson and Verba Johnston; lighting was handled by Jerry Human and Richard Ledbetter; bandstand, Wilford Crandall, Thyril Lisonbee, Hugh Johnson, Bruce Hancock and Patsy Hancock.

Refreshments were served in the gardens by Mary Ann Gaglione, and Norma Urrea, in pigtails, short skirts and blacked faces. Their southern attire furthered the theme to create an outstanding effect.

The Prom committee spent many long hours in selecting an appropriate theme for the evening, and then many more hours in carrying out their ideas. Each year the juniors try



to choose an unusual and original idea that has never been used by any other Mesa group. That is a large order.

This year, after much discussion, the lovely Southern theme was decided upon. It is difficult to find an unusual theme that has not already been done and redone by some organization or other. Some of the themes of past Proms have been "Moonlight and Roses," "A Night in Heaven," and "Black Magic". All of these were very successfully and beautifully carried out, and each year it seems "this is the best one ever."

Many lovely memories will linger in the hearts of all those who attended.

The refreshments, served by girls dressed as piccaninnies, were delicious and the conversation was jolly.



Couples were greeted by Mr. Forrest Cockrell, sponsor, Marjorie Petersen and Douglas Shepherd.



"Plantation Gardens" was the theme of the annual Junior-Senior Prom.



# Well-Attended Co-Ed Proves Successful

It was a beautiful night. The stars were sprinkled generously in a velvet sky and the nearly full moon spelled of romance and spring. Soon cars pulled to the curb in front of a building where the light from the door made dancing shadows on the walls and lawn. Couples walked slowly yet eagerly to the entrance. The girls' billowy formals rustled in the evening breeze.

Yes, it was the night of the Co-ed, the formal dance looked forward to and planned on by students for weeks before the big night.

The dance, held on April 8 and sponsored by the Girls' League, featured beautiful decorations. The theme, "April Showers," was carried out by dainty parasols hanging from the ceiling, shimmering dewdrops on the walls, a flower covered trellis and garden gate at the entrance, and a huge rainbow with pots of gold at the ends to serve as refreshment tables.

The floor show was a memorable one with the Arthur

Murray dance studio instructors executing a beautiful rhumba; five little dancing girls performing a delightful ballet; three senior girls, Reta Carr, Kathryn Sorenson and Beth Payne, singing "A Garden in the Rain;" and Warren Schofield giving an outstanding performance in his version of Al Jolson singing "April Showers."

All in all—Mona Urrea, girls' league president; Jeanette Hemphill, vice-president; and Florence Harper, sponsor—may well be proud of this year's Co-ed.

The Coed was the culmination of the hilarious "leap week." During these five days the girls had the privilege of asking the boys for the dates. Some of the girls reported leap week was just the thing needed to inform their current heart throbs of their interests. It is also reported that this week set off many new spring romances.

One of the outstanding features of this leap week was Sadie Hawkins day. All the students came to school dressed in costumes representing some Dogpatch character.

Couples enjoying the Coed, the largest attended formal dance of the year







Where green grass and trees once were, the new cafeteria slowly becomes a reality.



Dear Rod,  
 The best of  
 luck to a really  
 swell person. May  
 you always have  
 lots of success  
 in what ever you  
 do in your  
 future years.  
 Always a friend,  
 Jane

The Superstition editor poses between foot-  
 ball shots.



# AUTOGRAPHS

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*Handwritten signature "Fred Johnson" in blue ink.*

Sign my annual if you please,  
And then my mind will be at ease;  
For in the many years to come  
I'll read your name and recall the fun.  
A valuable treasure it will be;  
To happiness it may hold the key.





Irelta Blau



Morris Rollins

## *Foremost Scholars*

Having a grade point average of 1.02, Irelta Blau edged out Morris Rollins to become valedictorian of the senior class of '48. Morris, by having a grade point average of 1.1, earned the honored position of salutatorian.

Irelta has been an active member of the National

Honor and Quill and Scroll societies, and has been on both the staff of the Jackrabbit and of the Superstition, as well as having been active in many other club and extra curricular activities here at the school.

Morris, who served on student council as safety commissioner this year, has been extremely active in dramatics and speech, having taken several outstanding roles in school plays and by representing Mesa in last years' oratorical contest.



Mary Cardwell is busy keeping the records for Miss Entz and Miss Weber. This is one of her many jobs.



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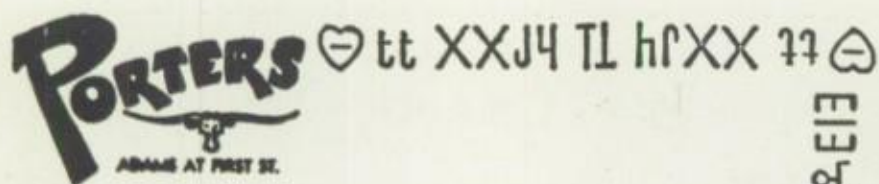
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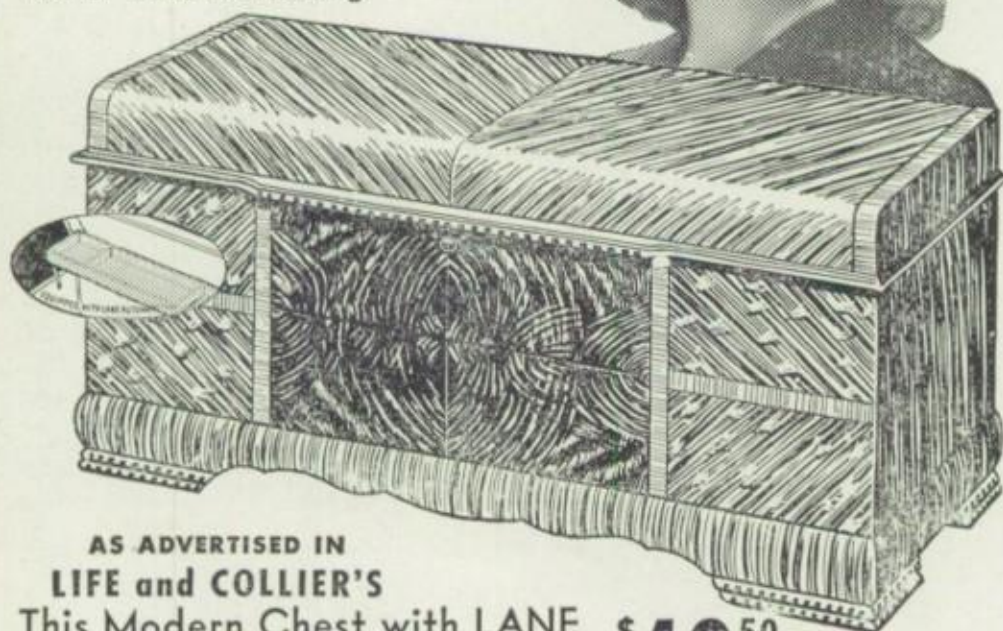
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